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RIOT AFTER STRIKE

Thousand Dock Laborers Engaged in Pitched Battle With Police.

MARTIAL LAW AT FORT WILLIAM

Twelve Are Seriously Injured and Rioting Continues With Renewed Vigor—Militia Is Called Out—Scene of Blood Shed.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Fort William, Ont., Aug. 12.—Fort William for the first time in its history is under martial law. A thousand dock laborers, principally Greeks, Hungarians and Italians who have been on a strike for a week, earned by the arrival of special Canadian Pacific police from Winnipeg, were incited to riot and 300 of them engaged in a pitched battle with the police at noon today around the Canadian Pacific freight sheds on McTavish street. Two dozen men were injured, three at least fatally, including Chief Ball, the railway company's local force, and two Greeks.

Five of the wounded are Canadian Pacific special policemen, three are Greeks, one is a reporter, George Dickinson. Others are Sergeant Taylor, of the police force, and John Lane, a butcher. Constable Carpenter, of the Canadian Pacific force, had a leg shattered and Chief Ball was shot in the stomach. The Ninety-Sixth Regiment of militia was called out after Mayor Pelletier had read the riot act.

The strikers have 25 railway coustables penned up in the Canadian Pacific railroad bunkhouse and shots have been heard all the afternoon. Soldiers are guarding the district. The police department is absolutely unable to cope with the situation.

Canadian Pacific Railway officials had agreed to grant the demands of the men and put them to work under an increased scale.

An agreement had just been approved at the city hall when the report was telephoned that rioting was in progress.

The strikers threatened tonight to burn the Canadian Pacific grain elevators and the night promises to be full of danger, although liquor selling places have all been closed by order of the mayor.

COTTON MILL MERGER

Companies Unite With Paid-Up Capital of \$4,500,000.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Danville, Va., Aug. 12.—A merger of the Riverside Cotton Mills and the Dan River Power and Manufacturing Company, two of the largest cotton mill corporations in the South, was effected here today at separate meetings of the stockholders. The name of the new company will be the Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills, which will have a paid capital of \$4,500,000 six per cent. preferred stock, and \$2,500,000 eight per cent. common stock. In addition to \$1,000,000 surplus. The authorized capital stock is \$10,000,000. The two mills have been practically controlled and operated by the same interests, the officers and directors being the same. The \$2,000,000 capital stock in the Riverside Company, the parent industry, is exchanged for \$3,500,000 preferred six per cent. stock in the consolidated company according to terms of the merger. Improvements and additions that will cost \$2,000,000 are now in progress at the Dan River plant.

R. A. Schofield will continue as president and H. R. Fitzgerald as secretary and treasurer of the consolidated mills.

OUTLINES.

Turkey is not satisfied with the reply of Greece and demands a more positive denial of her designs on Crete. A sensational report that the Seminole Indians were on the war-path in Florida was caused by a personal difficulty in the Everglades.—The cotton mills at Danville, Va., have combined with a paid-up capital of \$4,500,000.—At White Plains, N. Y., yesterday Harry K. Thaw was remanded to the asylum Justice Mills asserting that he was insane when he killed Stanford White and is still in a condition that will make it dangerous for him to be at large. An appeal will be taken.—Gustav Oblager was arraigned at Detroit, Mich., yesterday for murdering Mrs. Martha Callahan last Saturday. The evidence showing that he threatened to shoot her 12 years ago when she was not married.—The Clyde Line steamship Iroquois has been ordered to proceed to the relief of the steamship Arapahoe, which is in distress off Hatteras.—Glenn H. Curtiss has arrived in France to represent America at the race of flying machines.—New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 1-4 and 2 1-2, closing quiet 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2; Spot cotton 20 points higher, closing quiet at 12.80; four barely steady with a quiet jobbing trade; wheat steady No. 2 red 1.10 3-4; corn steady No. 2 old mixed 77 1-2 elevator and 78 delivered, nominal; oats quiet mixed 48 nominal; turpentine and rosin quiet.

VESTIBULE TRAIN WRECKED

Rails on Southern Railway Spread While Train Was Running Forty Miles an Hour—Ten People Are Injured.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 12.—While going down grade at the rate of 40 miles an hour, the Washington and Chattanooga vestibule train, southbound, left the Southern Railway two miles west of Midway, Tenn., at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The engine turned over and rolled 30 feet down a bank, followed by the mail and baggage and express cars. As if by a miracle nobody was killed, but ten people were injured, including Engineer Samuel Bush, of Knoxville, who is believed to be fatally hurt. He had a leg crushed and a hole cut in his head. Others seriously injured are the fireman, scalded; John B. Shields, express messenger, hurt internally; Fay Price, postal clerk, crippled. Many of the passengers were shaken up and received bruises and scratches. The engine and four cars are a complete wreck. The coaches were torn to splinters without seriously injuring any of the passengers. The mail car was split in two and the floor hurled 40 feet into a field, with postal clerks R. W. Hunt and Fay Price clinging to it. The fact that the cars in front rolled out of the way of the Pullman cars probably accounts for the escape of so many passengers. The wreck, it is said, was caused by spreading rails.

WHITNEY COMPANY'S AFFAIRS

Fritchard Awarded Judgment to New York Concern for \$350,000.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 12.—Judge Fritchard in the United States Circuit Court today awarded the R. A. Gillespie Company of New York, judgment for about \$325,000 against the Whitney Company and its receivers, John S. Henderson and Charles W. Smith, and declared this lien on the property of the defendant company prior to the mortgage of the bankers trust company.

The matter came up on exceptions of the receiver on the report to the Special Master A. H. Price, these being dismissed and the report approved.

The judgment is one of the largest monetary judgments which has been signed by Judge Fritchard aside from those involving railway properties, and is not only a victory for the contracting company which constructed the big dam and other works near Salisbury, N. C., but serves to vindicate it from the charges of faulty construction and reports made by one of the numerous parties interested in the case.

It is also a defeat for the bondholders represented by the bankers trust, since the judgment must be paid before the bonds can participate in the proceeds of the sale of the property which it is expected will be made an early date.

EVIDENCE IN SUTTON INQUIRY.

Concluded Yesterday With Cross-Examination of Dr. Schaeffer.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 12.—After an investigation extending over a period of more than three weeks, the naval court of inquiry, into the death of Lieut. James N. Sutton, U. S. M. C., here on October 13, 1907, finished the taking of testimony today.

Tomorrow the summing up arguments are to be made. The court will then prepare its report and forward it to the Navy Department as required by the precedent.

Major Leonard, judge advocate, stated that he would have no opening argument to make in behalf of the government, unless something might be said that would require legislation or reply.

The cross-examination of Dr. E. M. Schaeffer, of Washington, D. C., called as expert in gunshot wounds, was finished this morning.

Hypothetical and technical questions figured largely in his examination by Mr. Birney, counsel to Lieut. Adams, and although Adams was again called upon to illustrate the movements of Sutton as he lay prone in the trench on the ground on the fatal night, Dr. Schaeffer's conclusion was that under the conditions given, Lieut. Sutton could not have shot himself.

SOLDIERS HURT BY EXPLOSION.

Occurred in Camp of South Carolina Naval Reserves.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 12.—In attempting to open a box of ammunition with a hatchet, J. A. Fishburne, an ordinary seaman, caused an explosion at the camp of the first division, South Carolina Naval Reserves, on the Isle of Palms this afternoon, in which he and Henry DeCou, the sentry, who, against orders, had allowed him to enter the ammunition tent, were badly injured. There was enough ammunition in the tent to have destroyed a small town, but fortunately only three cartridges were exploded. Both of the wounded men will recover.

Grand Opera Concert.

Fine Grand Opera Concert at Lumberton next Sunday night. Among the selections will be "Sextette from Lucia," "Regolito Quartette," "Madame Butterfly," "Tannhauser March," "Bohemian Girl" selection and others.

ASYLUM FOR THAW EXPERT A WITNESS

Justice Mills Believes White's Slayer is Still Insane.

NO TRACE OF NOTES AND CASH

Judge Believes Harry Had Delusions Before Marriage and Suggests Divorce to Evelyn—His Mother Scores Jerome.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Harry K. Thaw's latest attempt to gain his liberty met with complete and disheartening defeat today when Supreme Court Justice Isaac Mills dismissed the writ of habeas corpus and declared that "the release of the petitioner would be dangerous to the public peace and safety." The signing of an order sending Thaw back to Matteawan is all that remains to complete the failure of this latest appeal to the courts. There is no crumb of comfort for Thaw in 7,000 word opinion handed down by Justice Mills today. All the contentions of District Attorney Jerome are supported, and it is declared that Thaw is still insane, and still as much a paranoiac as on the day he shot Stanford White.

Thaw, waiting in the White Plains jail, at the rear of the court house where the decision was filed, received the news with outward calmness. The members of his family and his attorney seemed stunned by the thoroughness of their defeat. Thaw declined to give out any extended statement, contenting himself with the assertion that his next efforts will be centered upon the Court of Appeals, through which he expects to secure a hearing before a jury in his effort to have his commitment to Matteawan set aside. The case before the Court of Appeals is one which has been under consideration for some time.

Justice Mills in his opinion today reaches three formal conclusions:

"That Thaw was insane when he killed White; that he has not yet recovered, and that public peace and safety would be endangered by setting him at large. He upholds District Attorney Jerome's contentions that Thaw still cherishes delusions regarding the practices of Stanford White and his associates. He characterizes Evelyn Thaw's tale of the Madison Square tower room, and similar stories about White told at the sanity hearing, as 'wild and grossly improbable, evidently to any normal mind grossly exaggerated.'"

He asserts his belief in the testimony of Susan Merrill regarding Thaw's alleged pervert practices and points out the contrast between Thaw's chivalrous attitude as a protector of young American womanhood and his private life.

Justice Mills expressed deep sympathy for Mrs. Mary Copeley Thaw, the prisoner's mother, and her exposition of the "horrors of Matteawan" on the stand evidently prompted his recommendation that Thaw be allowed greater privileges at that institution.

Not the least significant sentence in Justice Mills' decision is the opinion of lawyers here, is one which declares that Thaw's delusions had become fixed and established prior to the time of his marriage. It is pointed out that the sentence may, if desired, prove grounds for proceedings by Mrs. Evelyn Thaw for the annulment of her marriage.

Thaw was visited today by his attorney, Charles Morschauser, and by his mother and his sister Alice, the former Countess of Yarmouth. Late tonight Mrs. Thaw, after talking over the situation with her son, wrote out the following statement for the Associated Press:

"Let no one imagine for a moment on reading this opinion of Judge Mills that it means a victory for the District Attorney of the county of New York. One by one the delusions with which he and his alienists started out were proven, each by the mouths of several witnesses, to be stubborn facts that would not down at his bidding."

"Every prop was taken from under that arrogant, vindictive persecutor of a sane acquitted man. So baffled was he that when he rose to make his closing speech (for argument it was not) he had more the appearance of a school boy compelled to say a piece than the sometimes courageous, mature sophist who dominates the courts of his judicial district, except when wealthy malefactors are under trial."

"It is impossible to fathom the workings of the human mind, and so the reason for this totally unexpected and cruel decision of the trial judge must remain a mystery."

"Meanwhile, my son, my daughter and I have no alternative but to take up again the burden I had every reason to believe was behind us forever. We, exiled from our two homes and all the regular flow of life, will remain close to the gate, and so help the son and brother to endure an existence which, if perpetual, would be far worse than death itself, trusting in God's overruling providence in His own good time to vindicate the right."

"MARY COPELEY THAW."

Wanted, experienced salesmen and salesladies. Apply at once, Geo. O. Gaylord.

Accountant Gives Figures in Asheville Bank Fraud Trial.

NO TRACE OF NOTES AND CASH

Moxey Cited a Number of Incidents of This Kind—Will Try to Prove Defendants Guilty of Abstraction.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 12.—Today's session of the Breese-Dickerson trial in United States court was signalized by the appearance on the witness stand of Mr. E. P. Moxey, the expert accountant who, though he has directed the production of statistical evidence in the case during its almost 12 years of duration, has not before testified at any of its trials.

The day's proceedings served to demonstrate the total of checks of Dickerson and Penland, honored by the bank in the years 1895-6-7, and to place in the record and before the jury Mr. Moxey's formidable array of figures and record of notes which came into the bank for the benefit of Breese, Penland and Dickerson, the government claims, and how in some cases, both cash and notes got out without leaving traces of their whereabouts.

Certain statements of fact and compilation of figures were put in evidence themselves unintelligible save for the statement that Mr. Holton will seek to demonstrate by them that the defendants were guilty of abstraction; that they took out good notes and put in bad ones, and that they sought to cover their tracks.

National Bank Examiner F. A. Hull testified that from January 1, 1897 to the close of the bank the checks of W. H. Penland totaled \$15,219.90; that in 1896 they amounted to \$21,056.60; in 1895 they amounted to \$15,103.55.

RIOTING AMONG STRIKERS

Two Were Killed at Schoenville, Pa. Refused to Move Them Out.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Pittsburgh, Aug. 12.—The sheriff of Allegheny county late today flatly refused to continue the work of evicting the strikers and their families from houses owned by the Pressed Steel Car Company at McKees Rocks.

He then turned over to the superintendent of the car plant, possession of the houses. The Pressed Steel Car Company will now be forced to carry out their own evictions.

More rioting during which a foreigner was shot and killed, caused intense excitement in the Schoenville strike zone today Major Smith, a negro, said to be employed at the car plant as a strike breaker, early this morning shot and killed Stephen Horvat, one of the striking workmen. Smith, it is said was attacked by several foreigners and declares tonight that he shot in self defense. The negro is held at the county jail on a charge of murder.

HARBORED MURDER

Man Killed Woman Whom He Threatened in 1897.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 12.—Twelve years ago Gustav Oblager, who was arraigned yesterday on the charge of murdering Mrs. Martha Galahan, victim of the mysterious murder last Saturday in the woods in Hamtramck township, threatened to kill Mrs. Galahan, then Martha Cujawski. The officers unearthed today from the police court files a complaint filed there against Oblager by the girl, charging that he had threatened to "put a bullet through you." County Chemist Clark pronounced an accumulation taken last night from under the finger nails of Oblager, as human skin. There were evidences in the clump of bushes where Mrs. Galahan's body was found that she had given a desperate battle to her assailant before he succeeded in choking her to death.

CENSUS SUPERVISORS

President Taft to Confer With Secretary Nagle Today.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 12.—Secretary Nagle, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, is coming tomorrow to take up with the President the matter of the appointment of more than 300 census supervisors.

Cecil Lyon, Republican National Committeeman from Texas, also is expected tomorrow. The President announced several days ago that in Texas, as well as in eight other States of the so-called "Solid South," he would divide the census appointments equally between the Republicans and Democrats, the leaders of the two parties to arrange the division on satisfactory basis.

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BOAT FOR NAVAL MILITIA

Elfrida for North Carolina Brigade. Two Charters Issued—Condition of Crops in State—Southern Pines Bank.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 12.—The United States Navy Department notifies Governor Kitchin and Adjutant General Armfield, of the National Guard, that the Elfrida, the vessel the government has consented to loan to the North Carolina brigade, Naval Militia, is now thoroughly overhauled and ready at the Brooklyn navy yard to be turned over to the State authorities.

Following this notice Adjutant General Armfield issued an order today to Capt. Thomas Daniels, of Newbern, commanding the Naval Militia, to proceed at once to the Brooklyn yard and receive the vessel and proceed to Newbern, where the headquarters of the vessel while in the North Carolina service will be. Capt. Daniels is to select a crew of 25 men to accompany him. The government furnishes a watchman for the vessel and two keepers.

The Continental Development Co., Greensboro, is chartered with \$100,000 capital authorized and \$3,000 subscribed by M. L. Jones, E. W. Lyon, and J. W. Lambeth; also the J. M. Hopper Construction Co., for brick-making and general contract work, J. M. Hopper and A. T. Hopper principal incorporators. Principal office at Leaksville, capital \$125,000 authorized.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham is just back from a trip through a considerable part of the central and western sections of the State, and says there is a wonderful development in the crop conditions and that if present favorable weather conditions continue through August there will be an average crop after all the former bad prospect. There has been so far no shedding of cotton, he says, and if present favorable conditions and prospects materialize, coupled with a reasonably late frost, a very good crop of cotton will be picked. Upland corn, he says, is the finest he has seen in years. Much of the lowland corn was not planted on account of rains early in the season.

Commissioner of Insurance Young announces that the July receipts of the State Department aggregated \$58,562.15, which has been paid into the State treasury. This is the largest amount collected during a single month in the history of the department.

On petition of the Corporation Commission, Judge Adams, of the Superior Court, tonight at Pittsboro appointed W. B. Richardson receiver of the Citizens' Bank and Trust Company, of Southern Pines, closed by the Commission on account of the \$16,000 shortage of Cashier Kimball. It is said re-organization that will absolve depositors from any loss will follow soon.

RELIEF FOR STEAMER ARAPAHOE

Clyde Liner Iroquois Ordered to Pick Her Up.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Beaufort, N. C., Aug. 12.—The steamship Iroquois, of the Clyde Line from New York for Charleston, was ordered to pick up her disabled sister ship the Arapahoe and tow her to Charleston. Her master expected to reach the Arapahoe late this afternoon.

The Arapahoe has on board a general cargo of merchandise bound for Southern ports and twenty one first class passengers, five second class and thirteen steerage. If the weather permits, the passengers will be transferred to the Iroquois.

The steamship Moro Castle offered assistance to the Arapahoe's captain but he refused as he had been informed by his owners that the Iroquois was then steaming fast to get to the Arapahoe before dark.

The wind backed to northeast and freshened up somewhat during the day. The Arapahoe, which was disabled yesterday, was twenty miles southwest of Diamond Shoals lightship today and anchored in 21 fathoms of water. The vessel will require new stern bearings.

DEFAUDING UNCLE SAM.

Government Revenue Officer Aided in Swindle.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Aug. 12.—An offer of compromise made by the Bristol Ethyl and Industrial Company, Bristol, Tenn., on account of a seizure of about 13,000 gallons of alcohol because of the alleged fraud against the internal revenue laws, has been rejected by acting Commissioner Wheeler. The seizure was made several weeks ago and M. F. Tester, the government guarner, was arrested for conspiracy to defraud the government out of tax due on distilled spirits.

While the exact nature of the compromise proposed has not been revealed by the internal revenue commissioner, it is understood that the company offered to pay a fine of \$5,000 and costs to obtain the release of the alcohol and immunity from prosecution. This amount, it is said, does not represent the amount of tax which the government believes it has lost through the alleged violation of the internal revenue laws. Tester probably will be tried some time next month.

ARE BACK IN FORM

Sailors Blank Wilson With Capt. Smith's Return to The Game.

SCORE WAS TWO TO NOTHING

Rocky Mount Easy for Fayetteville and Goldsboro Won From Raleigh—Locals Bunched Hits in Fourth.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 2, Wilson 0.

Goldsboro 4, Raleigh 2.

Fayetteville 7, Rocky Mount 3.

Where They Play Today.

Raleigh at Goldsboro.

Fayetteville at Rocky Mount.

Wilson at Wilmington.

Standing of the Clubs.

W. L. Pct.

Wilson 39 31 .567

Raleigh 40 34 .541

Goldsboro 37 35 .514

Wilmington 38 37 .507

Fayetteville 34 37 .479

Rocky Mount 29 43 .403

With Capt. Dick Smith's return to the game and the acquisition of Brennan, a second baseman from the Charlotte Club, of the Carolina Association, the Sailors were back in old-time form yesterday afternoon and easily won the first game of the series with the Wilson top liners by the score of two to nothing.

Guerrant started the only two runs of the game against his former team mates in the fourth inning, after Nichols was out pitcher to first, by swatting a clean two-base hit to right, this being followed by a sharp bingle by Capt. Dick on which "GI" completed the circuit. Brodie was then up and Capt. Dick stole second, Brodie sacrificing him to third; Lohr then tapped a hot one to third and on wild throw to first, Smith scored; Sharp was then up, Lohr stole second and went to third on error of second, but Sharple was out, second to first. Howland, on the slab for the locals, yielded but three hits during the entire game while six were garnered off Cowell.

In the first inning, Moore and Schuman were out second to first and McGeehan fanned for Wilson, while Nichols and Guerrant fanned for Wilmington and Smith fouled out to third. In the second after Mills flew to left, Armstrong got one of the scattered hits to left and stole second but Cooper forced him at third and Gilmore was out at first unassisted. For Wilmington after Brodie flew to left and Lohr fanned, Sharp hit to right but was out trying to stretch the bingle. In the third Williams and Cowell fanned and Moore was out third to first, while for Wilmington Brennan flew long to centre, Kite fanned and Howard flew to right. Wilmington's half of the fourth has been detailed as heretofore, Wilson having been out in order except that Mills was passed after two were down.

Cooper led the fifth with a single to left and stole second but Gilmore was out third to first, Williams flew to left and Cowell fanned at three wide ones. Brennan led Wilmington's half with a single to right, but Kite forced him at second; Howard fouled out to right and Nichols flew to left.

In the sixth Moore fanned, McGeehan flew to Lohr; Schuman was safe on error of Sharp and Mills fanned. After Guerrant flew to centre, Smith dropped a Texas leaguer over first but Brodie flew to third and Smith was doubled at first.

Both teams were up and down in the seventh and eighth except Kite led the latter for Wilmington with a bingle to left and stole second after Howard fanned, being sacrificed by Nichols but he died on third while Guerrant was out second to first. In the ninth, McGeehan fanned, Schumaker flew to Guerrant and Mills to second.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson AB R H O A E

Moore, cf 4 0 0 3 0 0

McGeehan, 2b 4 0 0 0 2 1

Schuman, rf 4 0 0 3 1 0

Mills, lb 3 0 0 7 0 0

Armstrong, lf 3 0 1 2 0 0

Cooper, 3b 3 0 2 2 3 1

Gilmore, c 3 0 0 5 1 0

Williams, ss 3 0 0 2 1 0

Cowell, p 3 0 0 1 0 0

Totals 30 0 3 24 9 2

Wilmington AB R H O A E

Nichols, lb 3 0 0 7 1 0

Guerrant, 3b 4 1 1 4 2 0

Smith, rf 3 1 2 1 0 0

Brodie, cf 2 0 0 3 0 0

Lohr, lf 3 0 0 4 1 0

Sharp, ss 3 0 1 0 2 1

Brennan, 2b 3 0 1 2 0 0

Kite, c 3 0 1 7 0 0

Howard, p 3 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 27 2 8 27 8 1

Score by Innings.

Wilson 000 000 000—0 3 2

Wilmington 000 200 00x—2 6 1

Summary: Two-base hit, Guerrant; double play, Cooper to Mills; sacrifice hits, Nichols, Brodie; stolen bases, Armstrong, Cooper, Smith, Lohr and Kite; bases on balls, off Howard 1; struck out, by Cowell 5, Howard 7; time 1:25; umpire, Watson; attendance 400.

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LET BUSINESS PROCEED.

The tariff question is now a back number, and whether it is revised upward or downward the real question now is to prepare for business. There is every reason to believe that the business men of the United States will have to make preparations for the biggest business in the history of this country. We base the belief on the fact that farm production in the United States greatly exceeds that of any year since the foundation of the American Republic. The agricultural statistics show that we have a veritable "land of plenty," and that the year of 1909 has proven to be one for the basis of great activity.

The Manufacturers' Record is optimistic about the outlook and that ablest and most practical of American industrial papers says:

"The tariff is behind us. In many respects it is imperfect, but the agitation is out of the way and the American people will now adjust themselves to conditions as they exist."

"That we are entering upon a period of vast business expansion seems to be beyond question. Consider for a moment the fundamental conditions in the fundamental business—that of agriculture. Unless present crop conditions materially change it is quite probable that the total value of agricultural products for 1909 will aggregate \$5,000,000,000 or in the neighborhood of \$500,000,000 more than the total of 1908, which was nearly \$400,000,000 greater than the preceding year. The most remarkable fact in our business history is this amazing progress in agriculture. The farmers of this country are enjoying greater prosperity than was ever known before by the agricultural interests of this or any other land."

"The value of farm products in 1880, 1890, and for each year since 1905 have been as follows:

1880	\$2,212,000,000
1890	2,466,000,000
1900	4,717,000,000
1905	6,415,000,000
1906	6,794,000,000
1907	7,412,000,000
1908	7,800,000,000
1909 (estimated)	8,300,000,000

"In the ten years from 1880 to 1890 the increase in the value of farm products was so triflingly small that it averaged only one per cent. a year, or \$250,000,000 for ten years, hardly one-half of what the increase in the present year will be over last year. In other words, the increase in the value of farm products in one year is now twice as great as the increase in ten years between 1880 and 1890. Between 1890 and 1895 there was very little progress, but then began a marvelous advance which has continued without abatement ever since; by 1900 the total value was \$4,717,000,000. Since then the momentum has continued until in the last three years, estimating 1909, the aggregate value of farm products is about \$23,500,000,000. This is more than twenty times as much as the combined capital of all the national banks in the United States."

"To this wonderful advance, this amazing growth in wealth, is largely due the quick rival of business from the panic of 1907. It was this condition that saved us from a long period of great industrial depression, and it is this fundamental condition for marvelous development which assures an expansion of business much greater than our country has yet seen."

"Present indications point to the possibility of a corn crop of over 3,000,000,000 bushels, possibly 500,000,000 bushels more than last year. With the high prices ruling for wheat, corn and cotton, abounding prosperity seems to be assured. With the tariff out of the way, with magnificent crops, some harvested and some practically assured, the decks have been cleared for action. The winner of the battle for success will be the one who is ready to do business who makes his readiness known far and wide. The way to do this is to advertise."

Well may the Manufacturers' Record present the above conditions for making business, under the title: "The Decks Cleared for Action."

AS TO STREET WORK.

While the Streets and Wharves Committee of the Board of Aldermen, and the citizens of Wilmington who are co-operating with them so splendidly, are deserving of the highest commendation for their efforts to "clean up" the city, we fear there is great danger of the committee's allowing its zeal to overleap its better judgment in concentrating all, or practically all, the street force of the city upon this work without due regard for the conditions of the streets, which are already badly in need of repair, with the cloudbursts of late August yet to come upon us. Already the Fire Department is experiencing trouble in getting over the streets with its heavy apparatus on account of deep and ever widening holes in some parts of the macadam and if these are neglected much longer, the condition will be serious for even the lighter traffic.

The question of property is not only at stake but the lives of firemen are even endangered by the poor condition of the thoroughfares.

The Star also hopes that, in its zeal, the committee is not establishing the extremely bad precedent of meeting the property owners more than half way in sending the carts upon private property to remove rubbish, etc., that should at least be placed on the street in front of premises.

THE EASTERN CAROLINA NEWS.

The Star tried to say something appreciative of the Eastern Carolina News a few days ago, but we did our esteemed contemporary and injustice by stating that its office of publication had been removed to Magnolia from Kenansville. Editor D. S. Hines writes us to say that such a change had never been contemplated. Kenansville will continue to be the fortunate place where the News will continue to be published. In order to keep Editor Hines from coming down to get even with us about making that bull, the Star will again repeat that in the News Duplin county has a newspaper that is as newsworthy and as ably edited as any in the State.

Says the Raleigh News and Observer: "Because an editor and 'editress' of a South Carolina paper were married, the Columbia State declared that the paper's staff had undergone a radical change." As she was on the inside of affairs in the office, she was aware that he needed a managing editor. However, it is a heroic woman that will take chances by venturing into a matrimonial partnership with a South Carolina editor.

That judge at White Plains, N. Y., came to the conclusion that the proof of Harry Thaw's sanity was not conclusive, so he remanded Harry to the asylum. Poor Thaw! He played the damned fool so long that he can not live down the impression that he was bughouse when he killed Stanford White and still has too many bats in his belfry to be allowed to run at large.

It took a Southern railway system to set the pace for prosperity. On Wednesday in Wall Street Atlantic Coast Line and allied stocks took a jump and it was sufficient to carry other stocks along with it on the rising tide. The able management of the Coast Line's properties is always an assurance that they are values that always accumulate.

Mrs. Lillian Allen Johnson, a society lady of New England, has sued six of her husband's gentlemen friends for \$100,000 for alienating her husband's affections. We haven't got a thing in the world to do with the question whether her husband's affections are worth the money or not, but we've got that reasonable doubt about their being the real parties who did the alienating.

A scientist announces that he is satisfied the world will last 70,000,000 years longer. Even if it does, the county which is not starting to build good roads now may get so far behind other counties it may never catch up.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Fall River cotton mills have declared a third quarterly dividend of 1.61 per cent., which is the rate of nearly 6 1-2 per cent. a year. A dispatch says of the dividend: "This is a fine showing, though not so good as is expected for the last quarter of the year." The new tariff rates will be in force during the last quarter and they are higher than the old ones. Under the circumstances, if the dividends were to be diminished it would be surprising.—Raleigh News and Observer.

—As the time for the State reunion of the Confederate veterans in this city approaches, it is becoming evident that it is to be the greatest event of the kind ever held in North Carolina. The local committees of arrangement have by no means over-estimated the crowd that is to be expected. Many circumstances contribute to the assurance of a very large assemblage of veterans. One is that all of the railroads have given cheap rates—rates so low as to induce veterans from the remotest part of the State to make the trip. Another is the undisguised longing of old soldiers to see Charlotte, where they have so many war-time friends whose acquaintance they want to renew. Still another reason is the feeling that with the fleeting of time, there will be fewer and fewer fraternal greetings to be passed. It is quite probable that the Charlotte reunion will be the crowning event of the kind in the State. The veterans will be here in full force and Charlotte is going to bend every energy to make each one of them feel glad that he was here.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—Helping Each Other—"Let me see—didn't you tell me to remind you to get something when we got to town?" "I believe I did." "What was it?"—Judge.
—Sunday School Teacher—Now, Danny, what do you understand by "righteous indignation?" Danny—"Gettin' mad without sayin' any cuss words."—Boston Transcript.
—Mamma—Have you been taking your cough medicine, like a good boy? Tommy—No, ma'am. I let Polly taste it an' she liked it, so I traded it to her for an orange.—Cleveland Leader.
—Anxious Mother—How do you

know young Cashleigh is in love with you? Has he told you so? Pretty Daughter—No; but you should see the way he looks at me when I am not looking at him.—Chicago News.

—Critic (as the composer plays his last piece)—Very fine. But what is that passage which makes the cold chills run down the back? Composer—That is where the wanderer has the hotel bill brought to him.—Fliegende Blaetter.

—Concord Tribune: Revenue officers are busy these days watching the working of the blockaders, and from all reports they have routed the distillery that was in operation several weeks ago several miles below Mount Pleasant, in the vicinity of Big Lick, in Stanly county, and now they are hot after one said to be in operation in No. 7 township in this county, near the Stanly line. It is not positively known whether the block is being operated in Cabarrus or Stanly county, but from what could be learned this morning the still is located in the vicinity of the pasture of a widow lady by the name of Ritchie, who lives in No. 7. The block is said to be doing a big business, although the people doing the talking have been unable to make the exact location. It is said that there is a man in the woods near the place mentioned who patrols the outskirts with a rifle, and that he has made his brass that if any revenue officer or other man starts in to destroy the still that is doing business they will be shot down.

—Raleigh News and Observer: It is the rumor that the Norfolk & Southern Railway has about completed its arrangements to enter the Union Station in Raleigh and will probably do so in the next 30 days. Inquiry made yesterday among Norfolk & Southern officials failed to get a confirmation of the report. However, there is good reason to believe that the report is well founded and that within 30 days the Norfolk & Southern Railway passenger trains will be entering and leaving the Union Station here. All Raleigh and all the patrons of the road who come to or leave Raleigh will be delighted with this action, which has long been expected. In the city on affairs connected with the road there are Mr. E. T. Lamb, of Norfolk, the general manager of the Norfolk & Southern, Mr. R. P. Foster, of Newbern, division superintendent, and Mr. Fred L. Merritt, the industrial agent of the road.

—Wilson Times: If the American Tobacco Company did not intend to pay anything for tobacco raised in Eastern North Carolina this season, and were loaded up on the kind of weed raised in this section the company should have announced it in the papers early in the season, so that the farmers could have put their tobacco land in bread crops. Present prices for tobacco on the basis of 500 pounds to the acre will hardly bring sufficient to pay for the fertilizer. Our advice to the farmer is to hold the tobacco a while longer, for it seems the soulless trust will see just how low they can buy it.

Washington's Plague Spots

He in the low, marshy bottoms of the Potomac, the breeding ground of malaria germs. These germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility and bring suffering or death to thousands yearly. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "They are the best all-round tonic and cure for malaria I ever used," writes R. M. James, of Louisville, S. C. "They cure Stomach Liver, Kidney and Blood Troubles and will prevent Typhoid. Try them, 50¢. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy."

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During Change of Life, says Mrs. Chas. Barclay

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One lot of Calico, worth 6c, at 3 1/2c

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Yard wide heavy brown Domestic for 4 1/2c

Lonsdale finished Cambric, yard wide, worth 12 1/2c, at 8 1/2c

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Yard wide Bleach Muslin, worth 12 1/2c, at 9c

Feather Bed Ticking, worth 20c, at 12c

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White Embroidery Cloth, worth 15c, for 10c

White Waisting and Check Muslin, positively worth from 15 to 20c, for 9c

Outing Flannels and Flannel-ettes, worth 12 and 15c, at 7 1/2c

Cotton Suiting worth 12 1/2c, at 8c

Yard wide Shirt Waist Lin-ette, worth 20c at 11c

White Dotted Swiss, worth 15c at 8 1/2c

Yard wide White Corded Madras, worth 15c for 9 1/2c

White India Linen, worth 10c, at 6 1/2c

White India Linen, worth 15c at 9c

White Lionette for Suits and Skirts, worth 15c, at 8 1/2c

One lot of Apron and Dress Gingham, worth 7 1/2c, at 4c

1,000 yards of fine Dress Gingham, worth 12 and 15c, at 8 1/2c

Yard wide Percale, worth 12 1/2c at 7 1/2c

Yard wide Cotton Covert Cloth, worth 20c, at 8 1/2c

Silk finished Batiste, worth 25c, for 11c

50 bolts of White English Long-cloth, worth 12 1/2c yard, for 9c

36-inch White Sheer Dress Linen and Nainsook, positively worth 35c a yard, sale price is 19c

White Sheer Linen, worth 50c for 39c

40-inch White Lawn, worth 15c a yard, for 9c

White Mercerized Waisting, worth 25 and 35c, at 17c

Galatea Cloth, worth 18c, at 11 1/2c

Brown Dress Linen, worth 15c, for 11c

Figured Lawn and Batiste, worth 7 1/2 to 10c. Davis' sale price is 4c

White and red all-wool Flannel, positively worth 35c a yard, for 19c

TABLE LINEN AND NAPKINS.
Bleach Table Linen, worth 40c, at 23c

Oil Cloth, worth 25c, the Davis' sale price is 14c

Turkey Red Table Linen, worth 35c, for 16c

White Table Linen, worth 65c, for 39c

Pure Linen Damask Table Linen, for 47c

Extra Satin Damask Table Linen, \$1.25 value, ...79c

Pure Linen Napkins, positively worth \$2.00 a doz-\$1.43

Large Cotton Towels for 3c

Huck Towels, worth 15c for 8c

Bleached Turkish Bath Towels for 12c

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Pure Linen Toweling, worth 12 1/2c, at 7c

White Bed Quilts, worth \$1.00, for 69c

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Large white Bed Quilts, worth \$1.25, for 89c

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Large size Bleached Sheets worth 75c, each at 34c

Sheets worth \$1.00 to be sold for 59c

Large Cotton Blankets for 23c

Cotton Blankets, worth \$1.00 a pair, for 59c

Large half wool Blankets for\$1.83

EMBROIDERY AND LACES AT HALF PRICE.

6c and 8c Embroidery for 3 1/2c

15c and 20c Embroidery at 8c

Swiss Embroidery, worth 25c, for 12c

Torchon and Val. Lace, worth 5 and 10c, Davis' salvage price 3c

Round Thread Val. and Torchon Lace, worth 15 and 20c, for 8c

BARGAINS IN WOOLEN DRESS GOODS.

Wool finished Skirting in the new club check and shadow plaids, worth 25c reduced to 12c

All wool Cashmeres, all colors and black, worth up to 50c, at 23c

Tan and gray Suitings, in the new style shadow plaids and tailor stripes, positively worth 75c a yard, for 39c

54-inch Broadcloth and Suitings worth 65c and 75c, go in this sale for 38c

Mohair and Panamas that sell everywhere for 75c, go for 43c

Black, brown and blue Voiles that sold for \$1.00 a yard, for 69c

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One lot of Silk worth 50c and 75c, go in this sale for 25c

Shirt Waist Silks, worth 75c, for 39c

Yard wide guaranteed Taffeta Silk, positively worth \$1.00 at 79c

Yard wide Mesaline and Taffeta Silk, in black and white, \$1.25 value, for 89c

Poulard Silk in all colors and black, worth 75c, for 50c

China and Jap Silk, worth 50c, for 39c

LADIES READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT.

One lot of Ladies' white Lawn Waists, worth 75c to \$1.00 each, at 32c

Ladies' white and colored Waists, worth \$1.00 to \$1.50, for 59c

Ladies' White Lawn Shirt Waists, trimmed with baby Irish Lace and Embroidery, worth \$2.50, for\$1.47

Ladies' Silk and Net Waists, worth \$3.00, for\$1.98

Ladies' Satin and Silk Waists, in all colors, and black and white, worth \$5.00, the Davis' sale price is\$3.29

Children's Chambray Gingham dresses, worth 50c, for 19c

Children's Flannellette Rompers and Dresses, worth 75c to \$1.00, at 37c

Ladies' Flannellette Bathing Suits, worth \$1.00, for 48c

Ladies' Woolen Bathing Suits, worth \$2.00 and \$3.00, for 98c

Ladies' Rubber Bathing Caps for 9c

Ladies' white Lionette Skirts, worth \$1.50, for 83c

Ladies' and Misses' all wool Panama and Brilliantine Skirts worth \$3.00, for\$1.69

One lot of Ladies' woolen Skirts, worth from \$1.00 to \$1.50, for 69c

Ladies' very fine tailored Skirts, elegantly trimmed, in all the new styles and fabrics, and are positively worth \$5.00 and \$6.00, for\$3.69

Ladies' all wool Batiste, Panama and Voile Skirts, with button trimmings, worth \$10.00, will be sold for\$6.48

Ladies' black wire Voile Skirts, trimmed with satin braid and buttons, worth \$7.50, for\$4.69

One lot of Ladies' New Style Fall Coat Suits, made in the very latest styles in all colors, worth \$12.00 and \$15.00, going this sale for\$7.98

One lot of new style Coat Suits, that are worth \$10.00, for\$5.98

Ladies' new Fall Suits, just arrived, were to sell for \$25.00. You get them now\$16.89

Ladies' \$30.00 and \$35.00 man-tailored Suits, made in the newest Fall styles, of the very finest materials, will be sold for\$21.00

Ladies' French Imported Silk Gowns and Dresses, positively worth \$25.00 Davis' salvage sale price is\$14.48

Ladies' Percale Suits nicely made, worth \$3.00, for\$1.39

Ladies' white Lingerie dresses, worth \$7.00 to \$9.00, for\$4.59

Ladies' long Silk Kimonos, worth \$5.00 and \$6.00, for\$3.98

Ladies' Dressing Sacques and Kimonos, worth 75c, for 35c

MILLINERY.

Ladies' and Misses' new Fall Millinery of all kinds, will be sold at one-third to one-half less than regular price.

Ladies' and Misses' new Fall styles in trimmed Hats, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00, for 98c

Ladies' and Misses' \$3.00 and \$4.00 trimmed Hats, for\$1.93

Ladies' fine Ready-to-wear Hats in the new Fall styles, worth \$7.50, at\$3.97

Ladies' Imported \$10.00 and \$12.00 Hats, for\$4.98

Baby Caps, worth 50c to 75c, for 35c

Ladies' and Misses' trimmed Sailors, worth 35c to 50c, at 19c

Children's Mull Hats and Straw Bonnets, worth up to \$1.00, for 39c

Children's trimmed Felt School Hats and patent leather Sailors, worth 75c to \$1.00, for 47c

Several hundred Ladies' and Children's untrimmed Hats, worth from 75c to \$1.25, the Davis' sale price is 25c

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Men's splendid Suits in Velour finish Cashmere, in all sizes, either straight or round cut, positively worth \$6.00 and \$8.00. Davis' salvage price\$3.98

Men's all wool dress Suits in plain black plaids and fancy stripes. This suit is positively worth \$10.00, for\$4.95

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At \$8.48 you are free to take choice of any \$15.00 Suit in the house, as finely made with silk and satin linings, elegantly finished as the most fastidious dresser could desire\$8.48

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Men's extra fine business and dress Suits, made by the best tailors in all the ultra styles and fabrics, equal in every respect to the finest tailor-made-to-order Suits. Don't fail to see this\$10.95

Men's \$25.00 Suits, made of the finest all wool material, will be sold in this sale at\$14.97

One lot of Men's Coats that are worth from \$3.00 to \$5.00, sale\$1.98

Boys' Romper Suits, worth 75c, Davis' sale price is 43c

One lot of Boys' wool Suits that are worth \$1.50, will go for 50c

Boys' double breasted Suits in all shades, ages 3 to 15, worth \$2, Davis' salvage price 98c

Boys' \$3.00 Suits, all wool, made in the latest effects, all colors and black, for\$1.98

Boys' fine all worsted and serge Suits, made with double seat and Knickerbocker knee pants, a regular \$5.00 value, in this sale for\$3.39

MEN'S AND BOYS' PANTS.

Listen, mothers! 300 pairs of boys' knee Pants and Brownie Overalls, worth 25 and 35c, for 14c

Boys' knee Pants, worth 60 to 75c, for 39c

Boys' Knickerbocker knee Pants, worth \$1.00, for 69c

Men's good work Pants, worth \$1.50, for 89c

Men's fine Trousers for dress and Sunday wear, worth \$3.00, for\$1.98

300 pairs of good heavy Overalls, worth 50 and 60c, for 38c

Men's \$5.00 and \$6.00 all wool worsted Pants, for\$3.89

Men's nice dress Pants, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, for 98c

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

One lot Men's fine Dress Shirts, worth 50c, for 25c

Men's \$1.25 Negligee Shirts, for 87c

Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts, reduced to 69c

Men's 65c Colored Negligee Shirts, each 36c

Men's 25 and 35c Suspenders, for 19c

Men's Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, worth 35c, for 19c

Men's Mercerized Knit Underwear and Nainsook Shirts and Drawers, worth 60c to 75c, go 34c

Men's Silk Lisle Underwear worth \$1.00, for 48c

There will be Music Every Day DON'T MISS THIS GREAT SALE! It will pay you to come FIFTY MILES to get these BARGAINS.

To the First 25 Children under fifteen years, entering the store Saturday morning, we will sell a pair of the best 15c Hose for 1c

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SHOES AND OXFORDS.
500 pairs of Children's fine Shoes to be closed out at 59 cents on the dollar.

200 pairs of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes and Oxfords, worth from \$1.25 to \$1.50 a pair, ...85c

One lot of Ladies' and Misses' fine Shoes, positively worth \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair, ...98c

500 pairs Ladies' fine Shoes, worth \$2.00, Davis' salvage price\$1.36

Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords in all the newest styles, worth \$3. Davis' sale price is\$1.87

One lot of Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes and Oxfords for 98c

300 pairs Men's Satin Calf and good solid leather work Shoes, worth up to \$2.00 a pair, ...\$1.23

450 pairs Men's fine dress Shoes, worth \$2.50, for\$1.69

300 pairs Men's Vel Kid, Box Calf and patent Colt Shoes and Oxfords, worth \$3.00 and \$3.50, for\$2.45

700 pairs Men's fine Shoes, in all leathers, all styles and all sizes. These Shoes are worth from \$4.00 to \$5.00\$2.48

HOSIERY, GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS.

Men's black, tan and gray Socks, worth 10c, for 3c

500 pairs Children's and Misses' fast black, ribbed Hose, with double knee, heel and toe, worth 12 1/2c a pair, at 6c

Ladies' 15c and 20c fast black and seamless Hose, for 9c

Men's and Ladies' fast black and tan Hose, worth 10 to 15c, for 6c

Ladies' Lisle Hose, either lace or plain black, worth 25 to 35c, for 19c

Ladies' \$1.00 and \$1.50 long Silk Gloves, all colors and black, for 69c

Ladies' Lisle thread Gloves, worth 25 and 35c, for 17c

Ladies' and Children's white Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 5c, for 2c

Ladies' Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 15c to 25c, for 9c

Men's and Ladies' white Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 5c to 10c, for 3c

Men's and Ladies' Steel Rod Umbrellas, worth 50c at 39c

Men's and Ladies' Guaranteed Umbrellas, worth \$2.00 98c

Ladies' bleached tape neck Vests, worth 10c, for 6c

Ladies' silk lisle Vests, worth 50c, for 18c

Ladies' 50 and 75c Corsets, for 43c

All the best makes of \$1.25 Corsets go for 89c

Ladies' 50c tape Girders for 25c

Ladies' and Misses' 25 and 35c Corset Covers and Muslin Pants, for 19c

Ladies' Umbrella Drawers, worth 75c, fine muslin, nicely made at 43c

Ladies' muslin Skirts, Gowns and Chimmies, worth 60 and 75c, for 39c

Ladies' Skirts, Gowns and Chimmies, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50 98c

FURNITURE AND CARPETS.

Babies' Rocking Chair for 25c

Large high back Willow Rockers, worth \$5.00 and \$6.00, for\$3.25

The Morning Star.

Friday, August 13, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 13, 1909.
Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Thursday, Aug. 12th:
Temperature at 8 A. M. 73 degrees;
8 P. M. 77 degrees; maximum 86 degrees; minimum 68 degrees; mean 77 degrees.
Rainfall for the day, trace; for the month, .82 inch.
Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday, 12 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers Friday and Saturday; moderate east winds becoming variable.

Port Calendar—August 13.

Sun Rises.....5:15 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:53 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 46 min.
High water at Southport 5:33 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 8:33 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Geo. O. Gaylord—Big Sale.
W. B. Cooper—Royal Flour.
The Southern National Bank—Fall Business.

Business Locals.

Lost—Watch Fob.
For Rent—Rooms.
Baraca Rally—Sunday.
Lost—Blue Print Map.
LeRoy Polvogt—Found.
Baggett Bros.—Wanted.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Wanted.
J. G. Wright & Son—For Rent.
Public Meeting—Castle Haynes.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dr. W. H. Crowell, of Whiteville, was in the city yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Mrs. J. W. Murchison is spending some time at Black Mountain on a visit to friends.

—Miss Nellie Durham has returned from an extended visit in the western part of the State.

—Miss Margaret E. Branch is visiting her friend, Miss Willie Brothers, at Julian, Randolph county.

—Mrs. John P. Cameron and her charming daughter, Miss Johnnie, of Rockingham, N. C., are guests at the Hotel Tarrymore.

—Miss Caroline Nibberger, of Augusta, Ga., and Miss Elsie Bargman, of Charleston, S. C., are the attractive guests of Miss Katie Bornemann.

—Mrs. G. T. Flynn and daughters, Misses Lucy, Etta and Mary Caroline, are spending some time at Black Mountain on a visit.

—Whiteville News-Reporter: "Mrs. J. B. Rice, from Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. J. D. Maultsby, of this city. She is cordially welcomed."

—Friends of Mrs. Chas. R. Yopp will regret to learn of her illness of typhoid fever at her home, corner Sixth and Grace streets.

—Dr. R. C. Bunting, of Baltimore, Md., who was called here last week on account of the sad death of his brother, will return to Baltimore today.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Misses Nora and Charlotte McDuffie leave this afternoon for Wrightsville Beach, to spend several weeks."

—The following party from Red Springs were guests at The Orton for dinner yesterday: Misses Vera Blue, Maude Jones, Mamie McNeill, Carrie McNeill and Mr. John J. Throver.

—Many friends will hear with great regret of the critical illness of Capt. John F. Divine at his home on Grace street. His condition last night was such as to give grave concern to the family and friends.

—Mr. R. L. Shape, a New York architect, is spending a few days here, the guest of Mr. Thos. H. Wright. Mr. Shape drew the plans for the Carolina Apartment House and is an eminent architect of New York City.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were Miss Edna Stack, Florence, S. C.; R. S. G. Barnes, Washington, N. C.; N. J. Heyward, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Carter, Henry, McKinnon and W. W. Smith, Maxton; J. R. Bissett, Raleigh.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barber, are spending some time in the city, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Page, No. 516 Grace street. Mr. Barber is a former Wilmingtonian, and now lives at Moultrie, Ga., where he is president of the Citizens' Bank of that city. He is being pleasantly greeted by his old acquaintances here.

—Sampson Democrat, 12th: "Dr. Smith returned to Wilmington Monday after having visited at the home of Mr. J. A. Underwood, for a few days, where he joined his family who are there for a while. We were glad to hear Dr. Smith say that Mr. Roscoe Alderman, son of Mr. L. J. Alderman, who was in a hospital, and later sent to Hendersonville, is fast improving."

Will Start Up in September.

Mr. J. M. Leasia, superintendent of the Standard turpentine works, corner Front and Wright streets, which has been shut down since the 1st of June, 1908, started yesterday that the plant would start up again with full force some time during the month of September, probably the latter part. The resumption of the plant will give employment to a large number of hands. The plant, or a portion of it, is being operated for a day or two now, making some special preparations.

To Speak in Charleston, S. C.
Judge J. A. Erwin, pastor of the Christian Church, left yesterday afternoon for Charleston, S. C., at the request of the prohibition forces there. He will assist in the campaign there, speaking tonight and delivering probably three addresses on Sunday. Judge Erwin is a most forcible speaker and will no doubt render invaluable service in the campaign now being waged in South Carolina.

ON DEAL FOR COTTON MILL.

Hon. John D. Bellamy and J. Walter Williamson Will Likely Purchase Wilmington Mills From Hugh MacRae Interests.

Hon. John D. Bellamy and Mr. J. Walter Williamson, secretary and treasurer of the Delgado Cotton Mills, have practically closed a deal by which they will take over the property of the Wilmington Cotton Mills, located on Surry street, between Wooster and Dawson streets, and at present owned by Messrs. Hugh and McDonald MacRae. The deal will probably be consummated within the next few days and the formal transfer will take place within 30 or 40 days.

This announcement comes as gratifying news to the people of Wilmington generally as the transfer of the property will in all probability mean a resumption of the plant which has been idle for twelve months or more. Mr. Williamson, in conversation with a Star representative last night, stated that no definite plans had as yet been mapped out and would not be until after the deal had been closed and the plant thoroughly inspected. While Mr. Williamson did not say it, it is probable that new machinery will be installed. The amount that will be paid for the property was not learned, but it has been stated that it will be in the neighborhood of \$125,000.

The mill was built some years ago and was operated by the owners for some time, but it is said never paid. A little more than a year ago the plant closed down and a large number of people were thrown out of the employment. The resumption of the plant will mean the turning loose of a big sum of money in Wilmington each month.

LOCAL DOTS.

—It was decided yesterday that Alex. Mazingo, a white man, arrested Wednesday on a capias for retailing in Cumberland county 1907, will be tried here August 20th before United States Commissioner George Harrison.

—One deed was filed for record yesterday transferring from Sol J. Jones and wife to C. H. White, for \$10 and other considerations, lot and building on south side of Orange, 165 feet east of Seventh street, 33x120 feet in size.

—Julius Fennell and Julius General, colored, engaged in a lively fight at corner of Ninth and Bladen streets at noon yesterday. The combatants exhibited a pistol and knife, but they did not use the weapons. Warrants have been issued but they have not as yet been arrested.

—Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer says: "Bishop Strange, of the Diocese of Eastern North Carolina, who was here to attend the meeting of the trustees of St. Mary's school, left yesterday morning for Lawrenceville, Va., where he will spend some time."

—The will of the late Mr. John Hill Bunting, of date Aug. 25th, 1904 and witnessed by Messrs. Jas. H. Taylor, Jr., and W. A. Williams, was filed for probate at the Court House yesterday. Mr. T. O. Bunting being named as administrator of the estate, which is estimated at between \$15,000 and \$20,000 including life insurance.

—Mrs. M. J. Powers has brought a civil action in Justice Bornemann's court against Rock Williams, colored, for the non-delivery and detention of seven loads of crosses and one load of blocks, which she alleges he took from her home while she was serving a sentence in jail for selling whiskey. The hearing is set for 12 o'clock today.

—The Faison baseball team, an aggregation made up principally of students of Faison Academy, spent a short time in Wilmington yesterday en route to Fort Caswell, where they will play three games. Several members of the Fort Caswell team were here to meet the visitors, who left for the fort on the steamer Madeleine at 2:30 o'clock.

—Mary Etta Green, colored, obtained judgment in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday against Mrs. H. Lewis for the recovery of some clothes. The plaintiff gathers up old clothes and sells them and she alleged that she let the defendant have some of the garments to sell on commission; that she sold a portion of them and failed to make returns. The judgment of the court was that the defendant should return what clothes she had in her possession and pay for those she had sold.

Larceny by Trick Charged.

James Brown, a Syrian, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff J. M. Branch on a warrant sworn out by Josh Simons, a Syrian merchant, charging larceny by trick in that he ordered a suit of clothes and had sent to him and didn't pay for them and then pawned the goods. The defendant was committed to jail in default of bond for hearing before Justice Bornemann at 10 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Bright Died at Councils.

The sad intelligence of the death of Mrs. Anna Bright, aunt of Mr. R. S. Haddock, was received in the city yesterday. Her death occurred at her home at Councils' after an illness covering several months. Mrs. Bright was in the 68th year of her age and is survived by two daughters. The funeral was held yesterday at Carver's Creek church and the remains were interred at that place.

Trip to Bald Head Island.

A large crowd enjoyed a trip to Bald Head Island, near the Cape Fear bar, on the steamer Wilmington last night, the excursion being run under the auspices of the young men of Fifth Street Methodist Church. The outing was a delightful one in every respect. The boat arrived in Wilmington on the return trip at 12:50 o'clock.

BOARD OF EDUCATION ACTS

New Site For School House in District No. 12 Accepted—Opposition Organizes to Build Another School House.

The fight over the location of the proposed new school house in District No. 12, on the Castle Haynes road, has ended so far as the County Board of Education is concerned, but the action of the Board in adjourned session at noon yesterday in selecting the site offered by Mr. Moses Horne is not at all satisfactory to the opposition, a meeting being called by them for next Monday night for the purpose of organizing and making arrangements for building another school house.

The board met at 12 o'clock with Chairman J. O. Carr presiding and Captain John Hanby in attendance. Supt. Washington Catlett was at his post of duty as secretary. As was the case at the meeting Monday there were present two large delegations of citizens from District No. 12 who were heard for and against the proposed new site. Mr. Wm. Gregerson presented a largely signed petition opposing the erection of the school building on Mr. Moses Horne's place, which is some distance beyond the school building used last year. He and several others spoke in favor of erecting the new house near the old building. A committeeman from the district presented a petition in favor of new site which was as largely signed as the one presented by Mr. Gregerson. There were several speeches in favor of the new site, and at the conclusion of the discussion the vote was taken, both Mr. Carr and Capt. Hanby favoring the new site.

That ended the matter so far as the Board of Education was concerned, and Capt. Hanby immediately began consideration of plans for the erection of a modern rural school building which will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

Mr. Gregerson and others who are opposed to the new site left the meeting with determination written upon their faces to continue a fight against the school, or rather to arrange for a school among themselves. As will be seen from an advertisement in The Star this morning a meeting has been called for Monday night in the store of Mr. Gregerson, on the Castle Haynes road, at which time the matter of organizing a private school will be considered.

The board approved the plans of Architect Henry E. Bonitz for the erection of a small addition to Hemmeway school, in which will be installed a modern sanitary system. The building will be 10x55 feet in size, partly of brick and with cement floor, located on the south side of the main building. The board made an appropriation of \$1,500 for this improvement, which is said to be very much needed. The work will be done under the direction of a committee of the school board. This system is like the one used in schools in Washington, Richmond and other large cities and will be modern in every particular. The work will be done by the American Heating & Ventilating Company, of Richmond, Va.

INSPECTED NAVAL RESERVES

Local Division Made Good Showing Last Night—Trip Abandoned.

Col. J. Van B. Metts inspected the local division of the North Carolina Naval Reserves in their armory at the City Hall last evening and expressed himself as being pleased with the showing made. The attendance of the various drills were executed in a manner that did credit to the division. The company was commanded by Lieutenant C. Martin and Junior Lieutenant J. M. Murphy and there were 36 members present.

The trip to Morehead City which had been planned by the five divisions of the Naval Reserves in this State, including the Wilmington division, will have to be abandoned on account of the fact that the proper arrangements cannot be made. The Reserves had anticipated an interesting trip and were greatly disappointed.

GAVE JAPANESE TEA.

Delightful Evening at Home of Mr. S. L. Smith on Fifth Street.

The ladies of the McDougal Memorial Class of Brooklyn Baptist Sunday school gave a delightful Japanese tea at the home of Mr. S. L. Smith, No. 709 North Fifth street, last evening and a feature of the enjoyable occasion was the pretty Oriental decorations, which were arranged in a most elaborate and effective manner.

The affair was arranged by the ladies, who were clad in Oriental costumes and during the evening there was special music and other entertaining features. A large gathering of the friends of the class attended and the money derived from the delightful refreshments will be donated to the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville.

Gave an Automobile Party.

A delightful automobile party was given last night by Mr. J. Hampton Rich, of Atlanta, Ga., to a party of young ladies at the Tarrymore Hotel at Wrightsville Beach. The auto ride was over the roads leading from Wrightsville Sound, following which the party took supper at The Orton. The guests of Mr. Rich were Miss Annie Griffin, of College Park, Ga.; Miss Sadie King, of Raleigh; Miss Leola Williams, of Atlanta, and Mr. R. T. Windley, of this city.

Grand Opera Concert.

Fine Grand Opera Concert at Lumina next Sunday night. Among the selections will be "Sextette from Lucia," "Requiem Quartette," "Madame Butterfly," "Tannhauser March," "Bohemian Girl" selection and others.

For indigestion and all stomach trouble take Foley's Orino Laxative as it stimulates the orino and liver and regulates the bowels and will positively cure habitual constipation. Robert R. Bellamy.

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Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, La Grippe, Asthma, Throat and Lung Troubles. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption

ROBERT R. BELLAMY.

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The Genuine is in the YELLOW PACKAGE

Knit Underwear Sale!

You can save on the purchase of needed new underwear at this sale. Prices dropped to a point lower than hitherto reached. It will pay you to supply your anticipated needs for months to come.

Sleeveless Shirts made of fine nainsook, 50c quality, full regular sizes.	33 1/2c
Knee Drawers to match, each	39c
50c Patent Seam Drawers, full size, 29 to 44.	39c
50c Balbriggan Shirts, fine gauze, short or long sleeves, and Drawers to match, each.	25c
35c Balbriggan Shirts, short or long sleeves and Drawers to match, each.	19c
25c Balbriggan Shirts, each	39c
50c Negligee Shirts, fine assortment, all sizes, this week	12 1/2c, 19c, 39c
The variety of fancy 1-2 Hose now offered at big reduction will cover a multitude of feet. The range of patterns is broad. The quality high and price low....	23c
Ladies' White Hose, plain Lisle, Mercerized and Lace at.....	15c, 25c
Miss' plain Lisle, Mercerized and Lace Hose, white, black and tan.....	15c, 25c
Children's Fancy Plaid Top Socks, in great variety.....	

Straw Suit Cases, Hand Bags and Trunks. Special prices.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

THE FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE.

Mosquito Canopies, Swings from ceiling, or attached to bed, at Bargain Prices.

BARACA RALLY PROGRAMME.

Interesting Exercises and Address at First Baptist Church Sunday.

The programme for the Baraca Rally at the First Baptist church on Sunday evening at 4:30 o'clock, was announced yesterday, and contains some interesting features, which will be participated in by the Baraca League of the city, which includes the classes from the various churches. The rally will be most interesting and at the present time Baraca week is being observed by the League members in the city.

Secretary Tesh, of the World-wide Baraca Union, will arrive in the city Saturday evening at 6 o'clock and while in the city will be the guest of Mr. M. E. Graham, president of the League and will fill the following appointments: Grace church, Sunday 11 A. M.; First Baptist, Baraca Rally, 4:30 P. M.; Brooklyn Baptist church at 8 P. M. Mr. Tesh will come here from Winston-Salem and will make the principal address at the Baraca gathering.

It is an interdenominational meeting and the following programme will be observed: Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Scripture Reading.....M. E. Graham Prayer.....E. G. Mintz Voluntary.....Acme Male Quartette Introductory—Edwin Kettle, General Secretary Y. M. C. A. Address—Luther McCray Tesh, Field Secretary World-wide Baraca Union. Overture.....Silas Sheetz Hymn—"Onward Christian Soldiers." Closing Prayer.....Louis Williams

Confederate Reunion in Charlotte. The probabilities are that this section of the State will be well represented at the annual reunion of the Confederate veterans of the State which will be held in Charlotte, August 25th and 26th. The railroads will give special rates on account of the gathering. The fare from Wilmington and return will be low, but the local agent has not yet been advised just what it will be. The veterans will be welcomed to the Queen City by Mayor Hawkins and the response will be by Gen. Julian S. Carr, of Durham. During the reunion addresses will be delivered by ex-Governor Jarvis and Chief Justice Walter Clark of the State Supreme Court. The Charlotte chapters of the Daughters of the Confederacy will provide entertainment. On the closing day, Thursday, the 26th, the feature will be a big barbecue.

At The Bijou Today.

"The Birth and Adventures of a Fountain Pen" and "The Magic Fountain Pen" are the titles of the feature pictures that will be shown at the popular Bijou theatre today. Both are interesting and instructive pictures. The first named shows the different stages in the manufacture of fountain pens and in the second the pen draws sketches and change themselves slowly.

Rear Admiral Judah Thompson, U. S. N. (retired) died at Providence hospital yesterday after a long illness, aged 67 years.

No matter how long you have suffered Foley's Kidney Remedy will help you. Mrs. S. L. Bowen, of Wayne, Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." It will cure you. Robert R. Bellamy.

PROBABLE CAUSE FOUND.

J. W. Lanier Bound Over on Charge of Larceny of Watch.

Charged with the larceny of a gold watch from Mr. John R. Turrentine, Jr., on Saturday, July 17th, J. W. Lanier, a well known white man, was given a hearing before Justice George Harris at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The taking of testimony was completed by 11 o'clock, when Justice Harris announced that he would reserve his decision until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. After carefully considering the evidence he held that there was probable cause and bound the defendant over to the September term of Superior court. Bond in the sum of \$100 was given with C. H. Skipper as surety.

Mr. Turrentine testified that the watch disappeared from his coat pocket in his office on Saturday, July 17th. Mr. Lanier swore that the watch had been in the possession of his 10-year-old son since the first Saturday in June, the last stating to him that he had found it under the colored grand stand at the baseball park. The defendant said he sold the watch to Mr. G. C. Simmons, a relative of his for \$5 as he needed the money badly. It will be recalled that Mr. Simmons was tried a few days ago on the charge of receiving stolen property knowing it to have been stolen and was bound over to Superior Court in a bond of \$100. A. J. Marshall, Esq., appeared for Mr. Lanier.

MARRIAGE LAST NIGHT.

Miss Mamie Hardwick Becomes Bride of Mr. George Carlton.

Many friends of Mr. George Robert Carlton and Miss Mamie L. Hardwick, daughter of Mrs. Elsie Hardwick, were interested to learn of their marriage, which took place at the home of the bride, No. 15 Walnut street, at 8:30 o'clock last night, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. P. King in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. Following the ceremony refreshments were served. Mr. Carlton is engineer of one of the government boats here and is held in high esteem by a large number of friends. His bride is an attractive young lady and has many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton will leave on the 9 o'clock train this morning for New York, where they will spend their honeymoon. Upon their return to the city they will reside at No. 15 Walnut street.

Children as well as grown folks enjoy the trip to the pier. Boat leaves at 5:15 P. M. Jul 1st

Wanted, experienced salesmen and salesladies. Apply at once, Geo. Oo Gaylord.

MERRITT-BARKER NUPTIALS

Mr. R. C. Merritt, of This City, Wins Bride in Baltimore.

The marriage in Baltimore Wednesday evening of Mr. Robert C. Merritt, of Wilmington, and Miss Carrie E. Barker, of Baltimore, was of much interest to friends in this city and elsewhere. Mr. and Mrs. Merritt will make an extended trip North, coming to Wilmington about the 1st of October and will reside at 115 North Front street.

The following account of the marriage appeared in yesterday's Baltimore Sun:

"Miss Carrie E. Barker, daughter of Mr. James T. Barker, was married last evening to Mr. Robert C. Merritt, of Wilmington, N. C. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, 1700 Druid Hill avenue, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Joseph H. Cudlipp, pastor of Cummins Memorial Church.

"The bride was given away by her father. She was attired in an imported lace robe, over silk, and wore a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried 'bride roses'.

"Miss Bertie Hanson was maid of honor. She wore a gown of white radium silk over taffeta and carried pink asters.

"The best man was Mr. Benjamin Merritt, a brother of the groom.

"Miss Jessie Harper, of Wilmington, N. C., was bridesmaid. She was dressed in French organdie and carried white asters.

"A reception from 8 to 10 o'clock followed the wedding. After an extended trip North Mr. and Mrs. Merritt will make their home in Wilmington, where Mr. Merritt is engaged in the Government service as a civil engineer."

GAME OF NEAR BALL

Operating and Roadway Departments of A. C. L. at Hilton Park.

A game of near baseball was perpetrated at Hilton yesterday afternoon, commencing at 6 o'clock and lasting five innings, between teams representing the Operating and Roadway Departments of the Atlantic Coast Line, the first-named winning with a score of 3 to 2.

Busch and McClellan were the battery for the former, and Parker and Andrews for the latter.

The play was featured by the pitching of Busch, who struck out ten men; the hitting of Gregg and Cothran; and the base running of Lucas for the Operators, and the heaving of Parker, the infield work of Darden and Waddell, and the sensational armored hand fielding of Register for the Drivers. Mr. Summey umpired; and the best of order prevailed.

"BABY MINE"

Becoming a mother should be a source of joy, but the suffering incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of dread. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of much of the pain of maternity; this hour, dreaded as woman's severest trial, is not only made less painful, but danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, and the system is prepared for the coming event. "It is worth its weight in gold," say many who have used it.

\$1.00 per bottle. Book of value to all expectant mothers mailed free. The Bradford Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

LOOKING FOR R. W. YOUNG

Another Warrant Against Him For Violating the Prohibition Law. Officers Have Failed to Locate Him.

Rowland W. Young, a near-beer dealer is sought by the local police on a warrant charging him with violating the prohibition law. The warrant was sworn out yesterday morning before Recorder Furlong and the efforts of the police to locate Young during the day and last night proved futile. He is in the city, however, unless he has left since yesterday morning, for he was met on the streets by several persons.

The warrant was sworn out by R. B. Moore, a commission merchant on the wharf, on information and belief. It is alleged that Young sold whiskey to William Sirmen, a stepson of Mr. Moore, on the 13th of May, and J. T. Williams is named in the warrant as a witness.

Young has been tried before the Recorder three times on the charge of selling whiskey in violation of the prohibition law. He was tried shortly after the establishment of the Recorder's court, found guilty and fined \$50 and taxed with the costs, which he paid. Some time later he was arrested again for selling whiskey. This time the Recorder sentenced him to six months on the county roads and an appeal was taken to the Superior court. Owing to a defect in the warrant the case was remanded to the Recorder for another investigation. When the second hearing took place a few days ago the principal witness against the defendant testified that he had made a misstatement of facts at the first trial. The discrepancy in his testimony and the conflicting statements of other witnesses caused the Recorder to dismiss the case.

ROBBED MONEY DRAWER.

Negro Cleverly Trapped by Employes of A. H. Slocumb & Co. (Special Star Telegram.) Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 12.—This afternoon a negro, Joe Gillis, was detected red handed in stealing money from the till of A. H. Slocumb & Co. on Donaldson street. Thievery from the till has been going on for some time and Gillis was suspected. This afternoon a trap was set for him. A small amount of money was left in the drawer and A. H. Slocumb, Jr., and C. R. Wakeland, bookkeeper, secreted themselves. In a few minutes Gillis came hastily into the office, pulled open the drawer and took out the money. Slocumb and Wakeland rushed out from hiding to capture him, but Gillis bolted. He ran down Donaldson street and Wakeland fired a pistol after him without effect. From Donaldson he ran up Hay and turned from Hay into Maxwell street where he ran into the arms of Policeman Hall. Gillis dropped the money and bolted again but was called to a halt by a dead end of the cop gun. He was jailed for a preliminary hearing.

THREE SHOT TO DEATH.

Greeks Had Trouble With Americans at Dante, Va.—Foreigners. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 12.—Details of the shooting reported from Dante, Va., last night reveal that three men were killed and two wounded. The dead are Greeks who were employed in getting out timbers for the mines. Dissatisfaction among the foreigners because of alleged delay on the part of contractors in paying their wages, led the Greeks to hide certain tools belonging to their employers. An effort to recover these led to the shooting. The Greeks shot an American, following which William Trent, a young man, entered their cabin. Seizing a gun, which one of the foreigners was intending to use on him, Trent shot and killed three. An American on the outside was struck by a stray bullet. Trent, who claims to have shot in self defense, was placed under arrest.

NORWEGIAN SHIP BATTERED.

Was in Storm Off North Carolina Coast. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Newport News, Va., Aug. 12.—With several of her hull plates cracked, her starboard railing carried away and fore topmast missing, the Norwegian steamship Bergenhus, Captain Kahrs, en route from Gulfport, Miss., for Queensboro, arrived at this port today for repairs. Captain Kahrs reports that he encountered a severe storm off the coast of North Carolina early this week and his ship faced heavy seas. The forward load of pine timber was shifted, carrying away the guard rail and bending and breaking some of the shell plates. A survey will be held tomorrow and the necessary repairs made here so that the ship can proceed.

FIRE STILL RAGES IN TUNNEL.

Three Hundred and Fifty Feet Abandoned to Flames. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Lynchburg, Va., Aug. 12.—The fire in the Southern Railway tunnel which has raged since early yesterday afternoon, has gotten no fresh headway late today and it is thought now that further progress will be checked. 350 feet of the work has been abandoned to the flames and the effort now is to protect the 900 feet to the north of the fire. More than 200 feet have fallen in since yesterday and more is expected to fall.

The tunnel had not been turned over to the Southern Railway by the contractors, so the fire has not interfered with the railroad's operations.

The police of Washington and neighboring cities are searching for Herbert E. Fieschner, a clerk in the Navy Department, and son of the State Librarian of Massachusetts, who mysteriously disappeared from his home Wednesday, leaving a message, which seemed to indicate his intention to end his life.

ARE BACK IN FORM

(Continued From First Page.)

The Goldsboro Game. Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 12.—Today's game between Raleigh and Goldsboro was a snappy affair full of fast plays. Most notable were plays by Kelley for Goldsboro. Score: Goldsboro . . . 100 100 02x—4 6 0 Raleigh . . . 000 002 000—2 6 2 —Otis and Stubbs and Fulton; Brandon and Rowe; umpire Staehle; time 1:32; attendance 500.

Game at Rocky Mount. Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 12.—The Fayetteville Highlanders annexed the first of the series with the Railroad crew this afternoon, when Thorpe of the pitching staff, had an off day. Score: Rocky Mount . . . 000 012 000—3 6 0 Fayetteville . . . 000 200 014—7 8 1 —Thorpe and Conn; Watters and Galvin; umpire Murphy; attendance 400; time 2:05.

DRIFTWOOD.

Oh! You cripples! That's more like it now. And Goldsboro put it to Raleigh. Howard whiffed seven to Cowell's five.

Quite a metamorphosis from the past few days.

There was all kind of purloining of the turn-around bag.

It surely looked like old times to see the Rube working in that style.

Wilson's right gardener pulled off a beautiful running catch of a foul in bleacher territory.

Brennan, the new second sacker, played a steady game, and got one of our six hits.

Only one player enjoyed a constitutional, Mills being the recipient of the Rube's generosity.

Whoop 'em up for Capt. Dick! "Look around, old boy; anything you see you want, I'll buy it for you!"

Mr. William Watson, kommonly kalled "Bill," umpled the game to the eminent satisfaction of everyone.

To celebrate his return to the lot Capt. Dick pumped out a brace of safeties—which was some celebrating.

Let's turn out today and give the boys encouragement; and don't work in any soft-pedal or muffed on the nose!

With a substantial clasp on wood, and forming a maitrease cross with the fore and ring finger, here's hoping the spell is broken.

Capt. Smith was back in the game with one hand wrapped in swaddling clothes, but that didn't prevent his pilfering second, with the maimed member swung aloft to avoid re-hurting it.

INSTITUTE AT BURGAW

Pender Farmers Held Interesting Gathering—Cultivation of Crops. (Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., Aug. 12.—A crowd estimated at 300 of the best and most prominent farmers of this county attended the Pender County Farmers' Institute here today. Great interest was taken by the farmers in the discussions by Messrs. N. A. Layton, B. Barlow, and F. Sherman. A fine dinner was spread by the farmer's wives and ladies of Burgaw and the day proved a most interesting one.

At the morning session of the institute an address was made by Mr. J. O. Wright, United States Commissioner on Drainage. Discussions were made on the cultivation of legumes, fruits, oats and corn, also the best manner in which to destroy destructive insects, and the seed inspection law. A farmers' institute will be held today at Leland in Brunswick county.

SUICIDE OF ARTILLERYMAN.

Tied String to Trigger and Shot Himself. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Wilmington, Del., Aug. 12.—Discovery was made today that Sergeant Max Block, of the Coast Artillery, stationed at Fort Dupont, had committed suicide last night by shooting himself with his rifle. He had propped the rifle against a wall and tied a string to the trigger which he pulled after placing his body against the muzzle. Money losses are believed to have caused Block to kill himself. His home was in Morgan, Ala.

SERGEANT SENT TO PRISON.

Alabama Soldier Will Serve Three Years for Embezzlement. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Mobile, Ala., Aug. 12.—Quartermaster Sergeant Rudolph S. Hunt, of the U. S. Artillery battalion, stationed at Fort Morgan, will serve three years in the government penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kans., for the embezzlement of \$600 from the company commissary. The findings of the court martial were made public at the Fort today. Hunt claimed he had been drugged and robbed.

POSTMASTER CONVICTED.

Tried at Big Stone Gap, Va., on a Charge of Embezzlement. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Roanoke, Va., Aug. 12.—A special tonight from Tazewell, Va., says Geo. W. Rhudy, assistant postmaster of Pocahontas, who was arrested a week ago, charged with embezzlement of \$2000, has been tried in the Federal court at Big Stone Gap and convicted. He was sentenced to one year in the Federal prison at Atlanta and fined \$600.

DR. JACOBS WILL RECOVER

South Carolina Clergyman Hurt is Rapidly Improving. (By Wire to the Morning Star.) Washington, Aug. 12.—Rev. Dr. William P. Jacobs, a well known Presbyterian clergyman and educator of Clinton, S. C., who was thought to have been fatally injured by being run down by a team on Pennsylvania avenue several days ago, will recover, according to attending physician at the emergency hospital tonight.

THE ASHEVILLE CASE

Negroes Will Be Held—Collins Will Probably Recover. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 12.—Following the rumor that Clem Jones and Burley Cowan, colored, the only eye witnesses of the shooting of Paul C. Collins and J. H. Bunting by Constable F. C. Watkins, of Black Mountain, intended leaving the State, they have been ordered held by Judge J. S. Adams. Affidavits relative to the reported intentions of the two witnesses to leave were presented to Judge Adams by Solicitor Brown.

Mr. Collins is resting well at the Mission hospital in the city and his physicians have strong hope that he will recover, though there is some fear that pneumonia will develop.

Constable Watkins has given out a statement to the effect that he will tender his resignation as town constable at the next meeting of the council. The mayor and two of the three members of the council have expressed to him personally their determination to stand by him in his trouble. He still holds that he shot the men in self defense and says he will be vindicated when both sides are heard.

LEAGUE PLAYERS CHANGE

National Committee Gives Out a List of Them—The Players. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cincinnati, Aug. 12.—The National committee promulgated a list of all major league players who have been sold to minor league clubs under agreements containing options held by the various major league clubs to repurchase such players on August 20, 1909.

The list includes: National League: By New York—to Little Rock John Coanah, by Pittsburgh—to Louisville, Eugenio Tala.

American League: By New York to Lynchburg, Al Orth.

By Philadelphia—to Savannah, Joseph Jackson; Montgomery Frank Manush. By Detroit to Little Rock Clayton Perry.

The National commission has decided that to recall any player above, specified, a major league club must notify the secretary of the commission on or before August 20, that it intends to exercise its option.

CHINA VIOLATED TREATY.

Arising Out of the Antung-Mukden Railroad—Statement. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Aug. 12.—Emphatic language with the explicit statement that China is suffering from a plain violation of treaty stipulations on the part of Japan, is made in a memorandum or statement furnished the State Department today by the Chinese legation in regard to the issues arising out of the Antung-Mukden railway.

It is a matter of surprise and regret, therefore, that Japan relying on her military and naval superiority, the memorandum says, "ventures to override reason and disregard the provisions of the Peking convention."

"It is manifest that the object of Japan in contending for the reconstruction of the line is not for commercial but for military and strategic reasons."

R. R. AGENT MURDERED.

Assassinated in Office of Company Late Wednesday Night. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 12.—J. A. Engelmann, night agent of the Queen & Crescent Railroad, at King's Mountain, Ky., was assassinated in the office of the company some time after midnight.

His jewelry was taken and his pockets rifled, but a considerable sum of money belonging to the railroad company was left untouched in the drawer. Engelmann evidently was dozing on his chair between trains when the shot was fired through an open window, striking him in the back of his head.

The body was found by a night constable at 3 o'clock. The sheriff has put blood hounds on the trail.

SUSPECTED OF MURDER.

Greek Employee of Cemetery Company Charged With Murder of Girl. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Edward Ewaldt, a Greek farm hand and a former employee of the Holy Sepulcher Cemetery, was arrested at his brother's home in North Rose late this afternoon and brought to the Monroe county jail in Rochester, tonight suspected of being the murderer of Anna Schumacher. The girl was assaulted and murdered Saturday afternoon while visiting Holy Sepulcher Cemetery to graze the grave of relatives. On Monday the body was found buried in a shallow grave which had hastily been dug by her murderer.

CRUISING SQUADRON

Thirty-two of New York Club's Fleet Had Arrived at Dark. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Portland, Me., Aug. 12.—Thirty-two of the New York Club's cruising squadron of fifty vessels had arrived here at dark tonight and were in readiness to proceed tomorrow on the run to Rockland. Commodore A. C. James announced that all the yachts had been accounted for.

Winners of the commodore's cups: Schooners, class B, Elmina; class D, Taormina. Sloops, class T, Aurora-Yawls, class G, Vigilant.

APPLICATIONS AT BRISTOL

Liquor Men Ask For License—Heard Before Judge Kelly. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Bristol, Va., Aug. 12.—Judge Kelly heard the first application for license to sell liquor today, the city having voted wet at a recent local option election. Counsel for the drys objected to granting licenses until the court had disposed of the local option contest now pending. Judge Kelly took the matter under advisement and no licenses are now likely to be granted before September.

To buy advertised things is coming to be a fixed habit of the people—and it's a profitable habit, too.

RACE OF THE FLYING MACHINES.

Glenn H. Curtiss to Represent America in France. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Paris, Aug. 12.—Glenn H. Curtiss, the American aviator, arrived here today but proceeded immediately for Rheims where he will represent the Aero Club of America in the international aviation cup race, August 28. On his arrival at Rheims tomorrow he will set up his flying machine preparatory to making practice flights. After the Rheims meeting, Mr. Curtiss will proceed to Brescia, Italy, to take part in aeroplane races there.

WARM WIRELETS.

Samuel R. VanSant, of Minnesota, was elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic yesterday at Salt Lake City, Utah.

A Winnipeg, Manitoba, dispatch last night says: Regulars from Fort Osborn Barracks here were ordered to Fort William, Ont., to repel dock strikers. They left at 6 o'clock P. M., 200 strong.

During last month 143 sail and steam vessels of 25,623 gross tons, were built in the United States, according to a statement issued by the Bureau of Navigation at Washington yesterday.

At Pittsburg yesterday the third day's session of the convention of the Army of the Philippines was marked by a speech delivered by Major General Frederick D. Grant, commander of the Department of the Lakes.

Freddie Welch, the English pugilist, has arranged for a 45-round glove contest with Battling Nelson, which is to be fought in the United States in September. The battle will be for the world's light weight championship.

At the Buffalo velodrome last night in Paris, Miglet, the French pace follower, met and defeated "Bobby" Walther, the American cyclist, in a 30 kilometre motor paced match. The time was 24 minutes and 3.14 seconds.

A monument to the memory of M. Fleming Smith, who was shot to death here last December by former Sheriff W. P. Lyons and his son, Archie Lyons, was erected over his grave at Jeup, Ga., yesterday by the women of Jeup.

General Carlos Garcia Velez, minister from Cuba, returned to Washington unexpectedly from his Summer home in Manchester, Mass., yesterday morning. He conferred with Acting Secretary of State Adee and later returned to Manchester.

A Norfolk & Western railway yard engine at Radford, Va., yesterday struck and killed eight-year-old Maud Craft, and seriously injured the 10-year-old daughter of Thomas Harris. The children were watching a freight train and stepped in front of the shifter.

The flood condition in Mexico on the National Lines is greatly improved and all delayed trains finally reached Monterey yesterday. The train from Mexico City, due last Tuesday night, arrived yesterday afternoon. The washouts to the north were not nearly as bad as was reported.

Alonso L. Church, former librarian of the United States Senate, died at the home of his son in Newark, N. J., yesterday. He was 81 years old. Mr. Church was a graduate of the University of Georgia and for many years general counsel for the Chicago and Alton railway.

A mild mannered audience of 300 applauded faintly last night in New York when Emma Goldman concluded a protest against police interference in New York and a review of the recent uprising in Spain at an eastside anarchist meeting. The night before the police did not permit her to speak.

The annual council of the leaders of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church met in New York City yesterday with eight bishops, many pastors and heads of educational institutions for the negro, in attendance. Acting Mayor McGowan gave them a welcoming address, in which he complimented the negro race on the exploits of the Tenth Cavalry.

Women Oyster Gatherers.

The work of oyster collecting and culture is most unsuitable for women, but in France, owing to its tedious nature, it does not appeal to men. Often from an early hour in the morning till late into the evening the women are standing up to their knees in water, with a strong sun beating down on them. The result is that never a year passes without some of them going mad and having to be hurried away to the asylums. The work is well paid, as, indeed, it ought to be, while in the case of the few who own beds the profits are large, and small fortunes are quickly amassed.

Jessie.

It is related that when the young man who afterward became General Fremont ran away with and married Jessie, Tom Benton, the great senator, made terrible threats of what he would do to the young man. He would give him roasts and bullets, and so on. To all of which Mrs. Benton quietly remarked, "You had better give him Jessie, my dear."

A Mean Man.

Medical Man—Johnson has done the meanest thing I ever heard of. He came to my house the other night, ate a big dinner, got indigestion and then went to another doctor to be cured.

The most wasted of all days is that day on which one has not laughed.—Chamfort.

The encampments referred to were principally upon the famous Constitution Island, just below, to which was attached one end of the great chain which was stretched across the river to West Point and checked navigation by the British warships during the Revolution.

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"My poor boy," said the benighted old clergyman, who had encountered a young wail sobbing in the streets, "what ails you? Some case of dire distress has touched your heart chords no doubt?"

"No," sniffed the lad; "you're clear off your base, old kazoozicks. Me an' Snippy an' de rest of de fellers tin-canned the mangy old yellow cur up at Schwartz's grocery, an' while old Schwartz an' de gang followed de dog I sneaked back to de grocery to swipe dried apples. De Fido chased into Schmitt's orchard, an' de gang cribbed de sweetest peaches you ever seen, an' den dey smoked grapevine cigarettes and set the barn afire. I made a sashay into de apple barrel at de grocery, an' de delivery boy pasted me with a bed slat, an' it hurts yest, an' I didn't get to see de fire an' didn't get nothin' to eat, an' I wish I was dead—doggone it all!"—Bohemian Magazine.

His Advice.

A young genius named McCarthy went to Commodore Vanderbilt and gave him a suggestion which led the commodore to organize all the little railroads between New York and Chicago into one. Before McCarthy went to Vanderbilt he went to a friend for advice. Here is what his friend told him about the commodore:

"Don't let him scare ye. He's as full of power as a turbine. Has a good deal o' whir in him. Likes resistance; so does every great force. He's fought a thousand difficulties. He'll take you for another an' pitch into ye, like as not. Don't let him scare ye. If he jumps on ye, jump on him. He'll enjoy it an' begin to respect ye. It's like puttin' a belt on the turbine—you'll take off a bit of his power and ease him down."

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Judge Connor has appointed Editor Henry A. Foote, of Carthage, as U. S. Commissioner.

—Horry Herald: News from Mullins says that the Imperial Tobacco Company's \$50,000 tobacco factory is about completed.

—Sampson Democrat: Ex-U. S. Senator and Mrs. Marion Butler sailed from New York on the 7th for a European trip of about two months, having planned to start from Naples on their return trip about the 1st of October.

—Whiteville News-Reporter: Most of our lawyers were in Tabor Monday, looking after the sale of the stock of goods of the Blanton & Anderson Co., which lately failed. The stock brought \$3,850, and was bought by Mr. B. B. Anderson.

—Washington, N. C., Aug. 11.—The cotton gin and saw mill belonging to Mr. Fred Wolfenden, of Chocowinity township, about three miles from this city, was burned yesterday afternoon. The plant was entirely destroyed. Loss between \$2,000 and \$3,000 with no insurance.

—Spartanburg, Aug. 11.—E. D. Lowder, of Albemarle, is at the Whitehead-Stokes Sanitarium in Salisbury for treatment following an accident caused by sitting down upon the sharp spout of an oil can which inflicted a dangerous wound upon the body of Mr. Lowder. It is feared blood poison has set in and that serious results may follow.

—Whiteville News-Reporter: Revs. Porter and Smith closed a glorious revival in Hallsboro, 23 new members being baptized in Lake Waccamaw Sunday. A protracted meeting will begin at the Methodist church at Hallsboro tomorrow (Friday) night, and that pure Christian gentleman, Rev. D. C. Geddie, is expected to assist.

—Whiteville News-Reporter: Mr. D. C. Thompson, who lives near Hallsboro, says many of the farmers are holding their tobacco for a better price, and which they expect later in the season. One of his neighbors has 6,000 pounds of beautiful tobacco, which he intends to hold for two months, anyway. The trust controls the market, but everything points to an advance in the price of good grade tobacco later on.

—Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 11.—United States Deputy Marshall McClain engaged in a terrific fight this morning with Jim Harris, a North Carolinian, whom he had arrested on a charge of violating the internal revenue laws. McClain was bringing Harris to the city in a buggy and while traveling along a lonely road Harris made a desperate attack upon the officer, who was badly used up in the fight, but landed his man in jail.

—Rocky Mount, Aug. 11.—Mr. Paul R. Capelle, the clever cashier of the First National Bank, of this city, has tendered his resignation to the board of directors of this institution, the same to become effective about the first of the coming month, about which time Mr. Capelle will leave for Chapel Hill, where he will enter the law class of the State University. Mr. Capelle's plans include a two years' course in the law department there.

—Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 11.—The contract between the Southern and C. C. & O. for trackage connection was recorded here this afternoon. The Southern refused to allow the C. C. & O. to cross its tracks and the work of laying rails into the city was delayed. An adjustment has been reached, the Southern having consented to the C. C. & O. making a connection with its line near the passenger station. The new road will be operating trains into Spartanburg by October 1st.

—Washington, N. C., Aug. 12.—Work on the large and handsome five-story brick grist mill of Mr. J. Haven, of this city, situated on the water front, is progressing rapidly and the constructors hope to have the work completed and ready for occupancy by October 1st. When completed the entire plant will be fitted up with the most modern and improved machinery and will be one of the finest and most complete plants of its kind in Eastern Carolina.

—Goldsboro, Aug. 11.—A bold attempt to raise a \$1 certificate to a \$5 bill has just been brought to light. A negro Thornton requested a small loan of Will Roy, another negro and received what was called a \$5 bill. When this bill was presented for change to a merchant by a third negro Knight, the fraud was discovered. One end had been cut off and the lower figure on the remaining end covered with a figure five. At the trial before Commissioner Ives the negroes were held under bond pending an investigation by a special United States agent.

—Charlotte Observer: Considerable quantities of gold are being found in the dirt and rock which is being taken out to make way for the well that is being driven at the Selwyn Hotel. The well is now about 40 feet deep, the diameter of the opening being about four inches. All the material that is being brought to the surface is being washed for gold and paying quantities have been found. All has been carried to the mint to be assayed. That Charlotte is built upon a gold foundation has been long known but not often has a driven well been used to bring the paying dirt to commercial uses.

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Leave The Beach West Bound 6:10 A. M. 7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

Freight. Leave 9th and Orange streets 6:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., 4:00 P. M. and 7:00 P. M.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 A. M., and from 8:00 A. M. until 7:00 P. M. Freight received at 9th and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS. Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound 7:00 A. M. 8:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.

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NORTHEAST.

No. 43.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington ... 9:00 am	Ar. Goldsboro ... 9:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro ... 12:05 pm	Ar. Wilson ... 1:00 pm
Ar. Wilson ... 1:15 pm	Ar. Rocky Mount ... 1:30 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount ... 1:45 pm	Ar. Weldon ... 2:45 pm
Ar. Weldon ... 3:00 pm	Ar. Norfolk ... 4:25 am
Ar. Norfolk ... 4:40 am	Ar. Petersburg ... 4:25 am
Ar. Petersburg ... 4:40 am	Ar. Richmond ... 5:30 am
Ar. Richmond ... 5:45 am	Ar. Washington ... 6:00 am
Ar. Washington ... 6:15 am	Ar. Baltimore ... 6:30 am
Ar. Baltimore ... 6:45 am	Ar. Philadelphia ... 7:00 am
Ar. Philadelphia ... 7:15 am	Ar. New York ... 7:30 am

SOUTHEAST.

No. 41.	No. 40.
Lv. New York ... 9:25 am	Ar. Philadelphia ... 11:45 pm
Ar. Philadelphia ... 12:00 pm	Lv. Baltimore ... 2:15 pm
Lv. Baltimore ... 2:30 pm	Lv. Washington ... 4:20 am
Lv. Washington ... 4:35 am	Lv. Norfolk ... 5:15 am
Lv. Norfolk ... 5:30 am	Lv. Petersburg ... 7:10 pm
Lv. Petersburg ... 7:25 pm	Ar. Weldon ... 9:35 pm
Ar. Weldon ... 9:50 pm	Ar. Rocky Mount ... 10:35 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount ... 10:50 pm	Ar. Wilson ... 11:14 am
Ar. Wilson ... 11:29 am	Ar. Goldsboro ... 1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro ... 2:11 pm	Ar. Wilmington ... 3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington ... 3:15 pm	

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOWN.	Via Wilson
Lv. Wil'tn ... 4:55 am	Daily ... 3:10 pm
Ar. Flor. ... 9:05 am	Daily ... 7:25 pm
Ar. Col'bia ... 12:25 pm	Daily ... 10:45 pm
Ar. Chas. ... 1:10 pm	Daily ... 11:25 pm
Ar. Savh. ... 6:30 pm	Daily ... 2:20 am
Ar. Jacksonville ... 7:15 pm	Daily ... 3:00 am
Ar. Tampa ... 7:00 pm	Daily ... 4:30 am

NORTHBOWN.

Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa ... 1:20 pm	Ar. Jacksonville ... 6:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville ... 6:45 am	Ar. Savannah ... 11:50 am
Ar. Savannah ... 12:05 pm	Lv. Charleston ... 5:10 am
Lv. Columbia ... 4:30 pm	Ar. Columbia ... 6:00 am
Ar. Florence ... 7:15 pm	Ar. Wilmington ... 8:45 am
Ar. Wilmington ... 9:00 am	

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

Westbound.	Eastbound
Lv. Wilmington ... 8:40 am	Ar. Sanford ... 9:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville ... 12:10 pm	Ar. Sanford ... 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford ... 1:40 pm	Lv. Sanford ... 9:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.	South-bound.
Lv. Wilmington ... 3:25 pm	Ar. Newbern ... 12:50 pm
Ar. Newbern ... 6:50 pm	Lv. Newbern ... 9:30 am

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TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

No. 45. Lv. Wil'm'tn ... 3:00 A. M. 3:30 P. M. Ar. Lumb'gh ... 8:00 A. M. 8:30 P. M.

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Lv. Petersburg ... 10:35 am	Ar. Durham ... 1:30 pm
Lv. Durham ... 7:00 am	Ar. Lynchburg ... 7:30 am
Ar. Cincinnati ... 7:30 am	Ar. Columbus ... 8:45 am
Ar. Columbus ... 8:45 am	Ar. Chicago ... 5:00 pm
Ar. Chicago ... 5:00 pm	Ar. St. Louis ... 7:25 pm

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 12.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady 49 1-4 cents.
ROBIN—Market steady, \$2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, \$1.85 per barrel.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, \$1.75 per barrel for hard; \$2.10 for dip, and \$3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady \$2.30, tar firm \$1.50; crude turpentine firm \$2.00, \$2.70 and \$3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 65
Rosin 245
Tar 95
Crude Turpentine 44
Receipts same day last year 19 casks spirits turpentine; 153 barrels rosin; 15 barrels tar; 58 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.
Same day last year—Nominal.
Receipts—(—) bales, same day last year (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 7th.)
PEANUTS—North Carolina—prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75 @80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish \$1.00 to \$1.05.
CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.
EGGS—Good demand, 19@20 cents.
CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c; grown 35 cents.

BEEF—Firm at 27@28c.
TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c@1.00 per bushel.
SWEET POTATOES—Good demand \$1.25 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c, free of burr 25c.
GEESSE—Out of season.
PORK—Out of season.

SHEEP—Old dull \$1.00@1.20 per head. Lamb, good demand \$1.25@ \$3.00.
TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, Aug. 12.—While at times irregular the cotton market showed a generally firmer tone today and had a sharp advance during the afternoon with the close firm at a net gain of 17 to 20 points. The opening was steady at an advance of 5 to 9 points on better cables than expected and covering but there was a renewal of bear pressure in advance under which prices eased off to within 2 or 3 points of yesterday's close during the first few minutes. The market seemed to be attracting a good deal of support, however. Foreign houses were buyers here and there was a big demand from some people who are credited with having organized for the purpose of preventing a break through the 12 cent level. This buying quickly checked the decline, and after somewhat irregular late forenoon, the market became decidedly active and strong on reports of a better trade demand, rumors that Southern mills had put through a large business in cotton goods at high prices, a renewal of dry weather complaints from Texas, predictions of bullish private condition reports for the half month, and more aggressive bull support. At the high point of the day the market showed a net gain of 21 to 26 points. A rumor that rain was falling in Waco, Texas, promoted realizing during the last few minutes and last prices were 4 to 5 points off from the best. Some large blocks changed hands here during the afternoon, and one of the prominent features was the uneasiness of October shorts, owing apparently to the reduction in the local stock and the delayed new crop movement.

Receipts at the ports today 1,400 bales against 672 last week and 3,195 last year; for the week 12,000 bales against 9,058 last week and 24,035 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 122 bales against 422 last year and at Houston 324 bales against 2,108 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 20 points higher; middling uplands 12.80; middling gulf 13.05; sales 400 bales. Futures opened steady and closed firm.

Month	Open	Close
August	12.21	12.26
September	12.21	12.29
October	12.19	12.27
November	12.13	12.25
December	12.17	12.27
January	12.15	12.27
February	12.14	12.24
March	12.13	12.26
April	12.15	12.26
May	12.15	12.24
July	12.15	12.15

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Galveston—Firm, 12 1-4; net receipts 741; stock 11,431.
New Orleans—Steady, 12 5-16; net receipts 122; stock 67,548.
Mobile—Nominal, 12 1-4; net receipts 437; stock 7,660.
Savannah—Quiet, 12 1-4; net receipts 220; stock 11,804.
Charleston—Nominal; stock 2,316.
Wilmington—Nominal; stock 197.
Norfolk—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 308; stock 6,282.
Baltimore—Nominal 12 1-2; stock 1,732.

New York—Quiet, 12.80; stock 109,950.
Boston—Quiet, 12.80.
Philadelphia—Quiet 13.05; stock 1,308.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 1,828; Great Britain 548; Continent 1,377; stock 206,231.
Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 9,438; Great Britain 2,812; Continent 5,166.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 9,904,576; Great Britain 3,475,324; France 1,038,577; Continent 3,499,645; Japan 200,539; Mexico 30,796.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Houston—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 324; stock 12,521.
Augusta—Steady, 12 5-8; net receipts 92; stock 5,365.
Memphis—Quiet, 12 1-4; net receipts 20; stock 10,391.
St. Louis—Quiet, 12 3-8; net receipts 66; stock 13,573.
Cincinnati—Net receipts 12,995.
Louisville—Firm, 12 3-8.
Little Rock—Quiet, 11 1-4; net receipts 8; stock 3,216.

Total today—Net receipts 510; gross receipts 576; shipments 1,533; sales 250; stock 58,061.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)
Liverpool, Aug. 12.—Spot cotton in limited demand, prices 5 points higher. American middling fair 7.20; good middling 6.89; middling 6.66; low middling 6.48; good ordinary 6.22; ordinary 5.87. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,200 American. Receipts 200 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and closed easy. August 6.54; August and September 6.45 1-2; September and October 6.42; October and November 6.41 1-2; November and December 6.41; December and January 6.41; January and February 6.41; February and March 6.41; March and April 6.41; April and May 6.40 1-2; May and June 6.40 1-2; June and July 6.40 1-2; July and August 6.39.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, Aug. 12.—The dry goods market was more active in the jobbing division for the day. A sale of 8,100 pieces of wool dress goods at 28 7-8 cents a yard resulted in a clean up of the stock. Linings are selling better to cutters and clothiers. Raw silk is in better demand. The primary cotton goods market is strong with a moderate trade passing, principally for future delivery.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, Aug. 12.—The speculation in stocks took on sudden activity and issued in a frothy upshot of prices in today's market. The appearance of these symptoms, after as prolonged an advance as has now occurred and with prices at as high an altitude as the present, aroused the suspicion of operators of the professional class, who were keenly alert for the first signs of reaction. The release late in the day was sharp. The comparative steadiness of some important stocks in presence of the volatile distribution of others around them was suggestive of a process of distribution going on under cover of excitement caused by the sensational advances in other quarters. In the Southern group which centered attention yesterday, the realizing process was more forcible and caused abrupt reactions and feverish fluctuations. The conspicuous character of the stocks in which the principal rise occurred and their influential standing as stock market leaders served as effective stimulants to the speculation.

With nearer approach of the average prices of the active stocks selected for comparison to the record high level of the 1906 averages, there is closer analysis of the details of the price quotations than for the purpose of making the comparison clearer. The part played by the excessive prices of a few stocks in the previous averages stands out. For instance, Great Northern preferred sold as high as 326 7-8 in connection with the Great Northern Ore disbursements and the subscription rights to new stock. That price compares with 167 7-8 today. Northern Pacific also sold then at 211 1-4 compared with 159 1-2 today. These discrepancies lead to an inference on the part of some observers that the present average price level is in reality the absolute highest in history. But there are examples of distortion of the averages by excesses in prices of particular stocks now also. For instance, Union Pacific 210 1-4 today compares with 100 1-2 in January of 1906, Southern Pacific 137 5-8, with 72 7-8, and United States Steel 78 7-8 to 46 1-2. These prices affect the average in a way to reduce the excess in the present level. Bonds were irregular. Total sales of stocks today 1,431,000 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, Aug. 12.—Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent, ruling rate 2 1-4 and 2 1-2, closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. Time loans strong; sixty days 2 3-4 to 3 per cent, and ninety days 3 1-4 per cent. Six months 4 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8495 to 5.8505 for sixty day bills and at 4.8650 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-4 to 4.84 3-4. Bar silver 51. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg 100 3-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou 100 3-4
U. S. 3s reg 101
U. S. 3s cou 101
U. S. 4s reg 116
U. S. 4s cou 118
American Tobacco Co. 6s 111 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s 96 3-4

Baltimore & Ohio 4s 100 3-8
L. & N. Unified 4s 100
Seaboard Air Line 4s 89 1-2
Southern Railway 5s 112 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s 107 1-4

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	87 7-8
Amr. Car & Foundry	63 3-8
Amr. Cotton Oil	74 1-2
Amr. Locomotive	67 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref.	103 1-2
Amr. Sugar Refining	133 1-2
Atchafalpa	120 1-4
Atchafalpa pfd	104 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	141 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	119 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	94
Chesapeake & Ohio	83
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	159 7-8
Colorado & Southern	55
Erie	47 5-8
Erie 1st pfd	55 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	45
Great Northern pfd	156 7-8
Kansas City Southern	47 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	73 1-4
L. & N.	160 1-4
Northern Pacific	158 1-4
Pennsylvania	142 3-4
People's Gas	116 7-8
Reading	164 1-8
Republic Steel pfd	106 3-4
Rock Island Co.	41 1-2
Rock Island Co. pfd	79
Southern Pacific	136
Southern Pacific pfd	33 3-8
Southern Railway	74
Standard Oil Co.	70 3-4
Union Pacific	209
Union Pacific pfd	107 5-8
U. S. Steel	77 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd	126 1-4
Va. Car. Chemical	50 1-2
Westinghouse Electric Co.	87 1-4
Western Union	74 1-8

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, Aug. 12.—Flour barely steady with a quiet jobbing trade.
Corn Meal—Steady.
Wheat—Spot steady No. 2 red 1.10 3-4. Options 1-2 to 5-8 decline. September 1.06 1-4; December 1.03; May 1.05 1-8.

Corn—Spot steady No. 2 old mixed 77 1-2 elevator and 78 delivered, nominal.

Oats—Spot quiet; mixed 48 nominal. Lard—Firm.
Pork—Steady.
Tallow—Steady.
Rice—Steady.
Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.58 to 3.61.
Cotton Seed Oil firmed up late in the session on scattered buying through commission houses with strength of cotton, light offerings and professional bull support, August 5.52 to 5.54; September 5.50 to 5.53; October 5.43 to 5.45; December 5.48 to 5.49. Prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 5.49 to 5.60; prime winter yellow 5.55 to 6.00.

Butter—Firm; specials 27 to 27 1-2 (official price 27) extras 26 1-2, third to first 23 to 26; process, common to special 21 to 23 1-2.
Cheese—Steady, unchanged.
Eggs—Weak; state, Pennsylvania and nearby selected white henery, fancy 30 to 32.
Peanuts and Freight—Quiet, unchanged.

Potatoes—Weak; Long Island per barrel 1.75 to 2.12; Jersey 1.25 to 2.15; Southern 1.25 to 1.50; Southern sweets 2.00 to 3.25.

Cabbages—Dull and unchanged.
Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 1-4 to 7 1-2; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4 to 9; mild coffee quiet, Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-2. Futures closed steady, net decline 5 to 10 points.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Chicago, Aug. 12.—The crop report of the Canadian government had a depressing effect on the wheat market here today, final quotations showing a net loss of 3-4 to 7-8 cts. Corn also closed weak. Oats were easy and provisions firm.

	Opening	Highest	Closing
Wheat			
Sept	98 1-8	98 1-8	97 5-8
Dec	95 3-4	96 1-4	95
May	99 1-4	99 3-4	98 1-2
Corn			
Sept	63 7-8	65 1-4	64 1-8
Dec	59 1-2	54 3-8	53 5-8
May	54 1-2	55 1-4	54 3-8
Oats			
Sept	37	37 5-8	37
Dec	37 1-8	37 5-8	37
May	39 1-4	39 7-8	39 3-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
Sept	20 30	20 47 1-2	20 45
Jan	16 75	16 82 1-2	16 80
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Sept	11 32 1-2	11 40	11 32 1-2
Oct	11 27 1-2	11 32 1-2	11 25
Nov	10 92 1-2	10 95	10 92 1-2
Jan	9 90	9 92 1-2	9 90
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
Sept	11 02 1-2	11 05	11 00
Oct	10 72 1-2	10 82 1-2	10 75
Jan	8 90	8 95	8 90

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, Aug. 12.—Turpentine and rosin steady.
Charleston, Aug. 12.—Turpentine firm and rosin unchanged.
Savannah, Aug. 12.—Turpentine firm 50 to 50 1-2; sales 712; receipts 634; shipments 115. Rosin firm, sales 2,350; receipts 2,294; shipments 587; stock 148,098. B. 3.15 to 3.20; D. 3.35 to 3.40; E. 3.65 to 3.75; F. 3.90; G. 3.95 to 3.95; H. 4.25; I. 4.35; K. 5.00; M. 5.20; N. 5.40; WG. 5.60; WW. 6.25.

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Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 12, 1909.
C. C. Railroad—24 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—7 barrels crude turpentine.
W. C. & A. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine; 18 barrels tar; 16 barrels crude turpentine.
A. & Y. Railroad—9 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin; 34 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.
Str. Alice—3 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels rosin; 19 barrels crude turpentine.
Str. Bee—34 barrels spirits turpentine; 108 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar.
Schr. Pickard—18 casks spirits turpentine; 84 barrels rosin.
Total—65 casks spirits turpentine; 245 barrels rosin; 96 barrels tar; 44 barrels crude turpentine.

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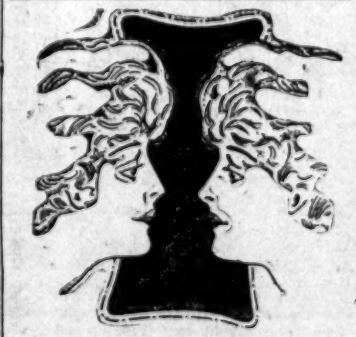
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BASE BALL

National League.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—New York won both games today before the largest local attendance of the season. Brown kept the visitors down to two singles in seven innings of the opener, but was batted for five hits in the eighth, which, with an error, netted five runs.

Chicago 200 000 000—2 5 2
New York 000 000 050—5 8 2
Brown and Archer; Wiltse and Meyers and Schell.
Chicago 000 000 000—0 4 0
New York 002 001 000—3 8 0
Pfeister, Higginbotham and Archer and Moran; Mathewson and Meyers.
Pittsburg, Aug. 12.—Pittsburg and Philadelphia divided a doubleheader here today, the locals hitting Morel hard in the first contest and winning by a score of 13 to 3; and losing the second in 10 innings by a score of 5 to 4. Heavy hitting by Pittsburg characterized the first game. Corridon pitched good ball. The winning run was scored when Bransfield singled and Knabe doubled.
Pittsburg 004 112 05x—13 17 0
Philadelphia 000 021 000—3 6 1
Willis and Gibson and Simon; Moran and Doolin and Martel.
Pittsburg 101 010 010—4 11 3
Philadelphia 200 000 2001—5 10 2
Gibson and Maddox; Corridon and Doolin.

St. Louis, Aug. 12.—St. Louis and St. Louis to a tie today. Phelps was hurt by a collision at the plate with Alperman in the second inning. The game was called on account of darkness.
St. L. 200 200 200—6 9 6
Brooklyn 050 000 100—6 17 2
Sallee and Phelps and Bliss; Rucker, McIntyre and Bergen and Marshall.
Cincinnati, Aug. 12.—Cincinnati won both games of the doubleheader with Boston here today. The first game went 10 innings, the winning tally being scored on a base on balls, a sacrifice, a steal of third and a single by Faskert. In going to third in this inning Downey, the Cincinnati shortstop, sprained his ankle. In the second game the Cincinnati profited largely by the errors of Boston. Diehl, a local man, played in left for Boston in this game. A great one-hand catch by Faskert was the feature.
Cincinnati 000 000 1001—2 5 2
Boston 000 000 100—1 9 1
Jasper and McLean; White and Shaw.
Cincinnati 300 300 20x—8 9 1
Boston 000 200 000—2 8 4
Rowan and McLean and Roth; Ferguson and Shaw and Raisdot.

American League.

New York, Aug. 12.—New York and Chicago are again tied for fifth place, for today the visitors, with Scott pitching, shut out the locals 2 to 1. Parent's work at short was a feature of the game.
Chicago 100 000 100—42 11 1
New York 000 000 000—0 4 0
Scott and Owen; Quinn and Kleinow.

Philadelphia, Aug. 12.—Philadelphia easily defeated St. Louis today by hitting the deliveries of St. Louis, both being off the rubber. Collins did sensational work on the bases.
St. Louis 003 001 000—4 5 2
Philadelphia 500 003 11x—10 13 0
Bailey, Graham and Criger; Bender and Livingstone and Lapp.
Washington, Aug. 12.—Detroit defeated Washington today 6 to 1. Kehoe was hit on the wrist by a foul tip in the fifth inning and with bases on balls, wild throws and passed balls, the visitors scored five runs. Blankenship with a broken finger was pressed into the game and the scoring stopped.

Johnson, Kahle and Blankenship; Mullin and Schmidt.
Boston, Aug. 12.—"Cy" Young was batted out of the box by Boston with the locals winning a close game from Cleveland, 5 to 4. Wood was also taken from the box after four innings. A sensational catch by Speaker, resulting in a double play, and Harry Lord's batting, were features.
Cleveland 010 200 100—4 6 2
Boston 200 300 00x—5 11 2
Young, Rools and Easterly; Wood, Hall and Carrigan.

Southern League.

At Birmingham 3; Montgomery 3. (10 innings.)
At Atlanta 2; Nashville 1. (11 innings.)
2nd: Atlanta 2; Nashville 3.
At Memphis 0; New Orleans 2. (11 innings.)
2nd: New Orleans 4; Memphis 0. (7 innings.)

South Atlantic League.

At Columbus 3; Jacksonville 2.
2nd: Columbus 0; Jacksonville 2.
At Chattanooga 1; Savannah 3.
At Augusta 6; Knoxville 1.
At Macon 0; Columbia 5.
Virginia League.
At Lynchburg 3; Norfolk 5.
At Portsmouth-Danville, rain.
At Richmond 2; Roanoke 1. (6 innings, rain.)

Carolina League.

At Charlotte 3; Spartanburg 0.
At Greensboro 1; Anderson 2.
At Winston 2; Greenville 1. (11 innings.)

RUBBING IT INTO GREECE

Still Threatening to Withdraw Her Minister at Athens.
(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Constantinople, Aug. 12.—The Porte has decided to address a more energetic note to Greece in which it will be stated that Greece's reply to the Turkish note concerning Crete is unsatisfactory.

The Greek Minister today called on Hilmi Pasha, the Grand Vizier, who strongly urged the Minister to advise his government to confirm the friendly protestations contained in its note by giving assurances that Turkey's demands will be complied with.

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CRACKED FAYETTEVILLE SAFE

Robbers Secured \$360 in Money and Deeds and Papers.
(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 12.—The Observer this afternoon publishes the following story regarding the visit to this city last night of safe crackers: "Robbers last night blew open the safe in the store of Mr. Ernest Sikes, at the forks of the road in Campbellton, and obtained \$360 in money and several deeds and other papers. "No clue as yet to their identity has been discovered, other than that there were two of them, and that after dividing the money, and throwing away the deeds and papers, which they did in a thicket, about six hundred yards from the store, made their way up town. The papers were found this morning, and the tracks of the men were discovered leading up the old C. F. & Y. V. track in the direction of town.

"The robbers, after chiseling two holes in the safe, one at the top crack of the door, and the other near the combination, inserted nitro-glycerine in the cavities, and blew the door completely off its hinges. The safe was surrounded by bags of flour to deaden the sound, but several of the people living in the neighborhood, say they heard a sound like an explosion at about 2 o'clock this morning. "This is the first safe-blowing Fayetteville has experienced since the wholesale blowing of safes in this city twelve years ago."

CHINESE MINISTER TO LEAVE.

Dr. Wu Ting Fang Has Been Called—His Successor Named.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Washington, Aug. 12.—For the second time in his diplomatic career, Dr. Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister to the United States has been recalled. It is expected he will be assigned to other work.

Dr. Wu's successor will be Chang Yin Tang, known as a "progressive" in Chinese political affairs, and a man who has seen diplomatic service in India, England, Thibet and in the United States.

Minister Wu is now in Peru, to which place he is accredited. Wu's sympathies were manifestly with the United States during the Boxer troubles and this led to his first recall. Only an intimation from this government that his beholding would be offensive to the United States, it is believed, prevented his summary death at the hands of the Chinese authorities.

WILL HOLD LIQUOR ELECTION.

South Carolina Supreme Court Decides With Action of Legislature.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Columbia, S. C., Aug. 12.—The State Supreme Court, sitting here today, refused to declare invalid the liquor law passed at the last session of the Legislature. The test of the law was made on a petition brought by Thomas Jellico, of Charleston, for an injunction restraining the Charleston county officials from holding the liquor election in that county on August 17. The law provides for elections in the counties now wet, those voting for liquor to re-open the dispensaries under the system previously in use. The constitutionality of the law was attacked on two grounds: That the subject of the act was not stated in the title, and that it is special legislation.

The court will later hand down an opinion stating the reasons for the rejection of the petition.

ATLANTIC FLEET MANEUVERS.

Engage in Summer Practice Off Virginia Capes—The Ships.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Norfolk, Va., Aug. 12.—At sunrise this morning the battleship Idaho, the last ship of the fleet in the Roads, got under-way and within a few hours had joined the flagship Connecticut and her consorts on the Southern drill grounds off the Virginia Capes. Though the ships could not be seen at Virginia Beach today, being 30 miles away, at times the boom of big guns could be distinctly heard. The fleet had an opportunity to drill today under adverse conditions, the weather cloudy and showery, with a moderate northeaster, showing a diversion from the local conditions which existed in Cape Cod bay.

This afternoon it was learned by wireless that the fleet was working out the preliminary drills which will precede the record target practice next week.

THE MANTEO TRAGEDY.

Thompson Given a Hearing Yesterday. No Self-defense Plea.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 12.—A special from Manteo, N. C., says the preliminary examination of A. L. Thompson, this morning for the murder of the woman, who upon learning that her marriage to Thompson was bigamous, eloped and married W. H. Seaman, and returned here, attempting to get the two children borne while living with Thompson, failed to disclose any element of self-defense. The testimony was to the effect that Thompson went to the house where they had stopped and began shooting without a word.

Thompson has not long since finished a term in the Virginia State penitentiary for bigamy. He appears entirely unconcerned, joking with friends about the crime. Seaman is still living but is in a critical condition.

An explosion of dynamite in an attempt, it is believed, to destroy the construction work for the Cincinnati Southern Railroad's new bridge in Cincinnati yesterday, did much damage to buildings and caused great excitement. The contractors have had trouble with their workmen.

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SEMINOLE INDIANS NOT HOSTILE

Only Show of Fight Was by Willie Willie.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Miami, Fla., Aug. 12.—Sensational rumors that the Seminole Indians had gone on the warpath, proved to be only an escapee from the part of 14 Seminoles last Tuesday. F. H. Harry and J. D. Lee, white men, were cutting wood in the Everglades when Willie Willie, a Seminole buck, threatened to strike the men with an axe but was prevented by another Indian. Later Willie Willie shot at Lee's dog, the bullet coming close to Lee's head.

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WANTED—To buy a second-hand rubber tire phaeton, or would exchange a steel tired buggy for same. Baggett Bros., 113 South Front street. au 13 1t

LOST—Blue print map, mounted on wooden rollers, of city of Wilmington. Suitable reward will be paid for its return to City Engineer's office, I. O. O. F. Building. au 11 1t

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PUBLIC MEETING—A called meeting will be held, Monday, August 16th, 7:30 P. M. at Wm. Gregerson's store on Castle Haynes road for the purpose of organizing a private school district. All interested are invited to attend. au 13 fri su 2t

INTERDENOMINATIONAL Baraca Rally at the First Baptist church, Sunday at 4 P. M. All are cordially invited, especially the men. au 13 3t

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THE PEOPLE'S BUILDING & Loan Association on August 7th opened one of the most successful series ever issued. Book will be kept open for several days in order that those unable on Saturday to subscribe may do so within the next few days. Don't neglect this opportunity but subscribe for stock at once. Office 206 Princess street. Wm. F. Robertson, president; D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer. au 8-1t

FOR SALE—The valuable property on Princess street known as the "Star Building." Size of lot 58 1-2 by 66 feet, including all of the narrow alley east and half of the wide alley west of the building. For further particulars address Wm. H. Bernard, 111 South Fifth street. au 7 6t

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WOOD FOR SALE—Cut in stove lengths, at \$1.00 per load delivered. Stephens Construction Co. Inc., 124 South Front street. 'Phone 630. au 4 2w

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The cost of the trip will include railroad, steamship and Pullman fares, transfers hotel accommodations, side trips, etc., as shown in itinerary—in fact will include practically every necessary expense with the exception of a few meals en route and while in New York city, and is made at the lowest possible amount.

This route has been selected after the most careful consideration, giving the best advantage for sight-seeing at most interesting points. Sufficient length of time will be spent at all stop-over points for sight-seeing and all arrangements made for the pleasure and comfort of the party.

C. H. Gattis, District Passenger Agent, will devote his entire time to the party and will look after all necessary details, etc., for the comfort and pleasure of all, and this is assured as the Seaboard has had considerable experience in handling these tours, as any one who has been with them in the past will be glad to tell you.

Mr. and Mrs. Gattis will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. James Ker, Jr., of Charlotte, N. C.

For itinerary of tour write at once to the undersigned and those who desire descriptive literature relative to route over which party will travel, etc., will be forwarded same upon receipt of request with 25 cents in postage to cover mailing of same.

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